

# The Bee

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## SUCCESSOR TO CRABBE NAMED

Governor Willson Appoints Prof. Regenstein, Newport, Ky.

CRABBE GOES TO STATE NORMAL SCHOOL AT RICHMOND, KY.

Frankfort, Ky., April 2.—Prof. Killworth Regenstein, of Newport, was today appointed by Governor Willson Superintendent of Public Instruction to succeed J. G. Crabbe. Prof. Crabbe and Prof. Regenstein are conferring to decide on when Prof. Regenstein will assume his duties.

Prof. Crabbe will be president of the Eastern Kentucky State Normal School at Richmond.

In accepting Prof. Crabbe's resignation Governor Willson says: "I feel now that while you sought office and were elected for a term of four years, assuming a very serious obligation to fulfill the contract, that you have accomplished so much during your term as superintendent and have made a useful and strong start in the change of our school system and have aroused such an interest and feeling in cases of education that I have a right to say to you and in the name of people of Kentucky 'well and faithfully done.' You have won your right to lay down these duties and accept another post of duty in the same field of education where you will continue to be useful to all the people of the state."

"I wish you success in your new field and I am sure that the good wishes of the people of Kentucky will go with you and Mrs. Crabbe in your new field of labor. I wish also to say that I feel that the people of the State are greatly indebted to Mrs. Crabbe for the help she has given you in your work."

**OST \$200 TO RECOVER**  
"THAW" DOG WHIP.

Lawyer Hartridge's Testimony in Suit to Recover for His Services.

New York, April 4.—It cost Clifford W. Hartridge, attorney for Harry K. Thaw in Thaw's first trial for the killing of Stanford White, more than \$700 to recover a dog whip with which it is alleged Thaw beat various girls, so the lawyer testified today in his suit against Thaw's mother for \$52,000 for his services.

The money, he said, was given to a woman who had possession of the whip. The suit was not concluded.

Local Option Election.

Bowling Green, Ky., April 1.—Another local option election will likely be held in Bowling Green and Warren county on June 14. The "drys" are circulating a petition in each of the precincts of the county to obtain the required number of signatures. The "wets" will, in all probability, demand a separate vote in the city. This will, no doubt, mean a hot fight. It is conceded that the county outside of the city is "dry." The city voted "dry" three years ago next June by a majority of 228.

Fund For Dr. Cook.

New York, April 2.—On the authority of Capt. H. F. Osborn, one of the most active supporters of Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the explorer, it was announced today that about \$175,000 had been guaranteed towards a fund to help Dr. Cook prove his claim to the discovery of the North pole.

## PLACE TO BE MADE VACANT BY M. H. THATCHER

It Has Been Offered to the Private Secretary of Governor Willson.

Frankfort, Ky., April 4.—McKenzie Todd has been offered the place of state inspector and examiner, to be made vacant by M. H. Thatcher, recently appointed by President Taft as governor of the Panama canal zone.

Mr. Todd is Governor Willson's private secretary, and Frankfort is his home.

The new place tendered him pays a salary of \$3,000 a year, and his expenses are paid when called from home on business for the state.

## NEGRO SOLDIERS GUILTY

Military Court, After Investigation, Finds Troops Did Shooting at Brownsville, Texas.

Washington, April 6.—The military court of inquiry which during the last year has been investigating the shooting up of Brownsville, Texas, finds that the evidence clearly sustains the charge that the shooting was done by soldiers of the Twenty-fifth Infantry, colored.

Henry Madden Dead.

Henry Morton, who for years has been an employee of the St. Bernard store at Mortons Gap, died at that city Friday of heart trouble. He was about 55 years of age. He was buried Sunday at Old Salem cemetery. A large number of his friends followed his remains to its last resting place.

Arbor Day.

Tomorrow, April 8, the Governor has designated as Arbor Day for Kentucky and the schools of the State will have appropriate exercises and plant trees around their school buildings. One should never cut down a tree without planting one in its place.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our sincere thanks to all the friends who extended to us help and consolation in the death of our loved one, Tommie.

Mrs. NEWBOME WILSON AND FAMILY.

## MINING NOTES.

Thos. Longstaff, Sr., of Shamrock mines, was in the city Tuesday on business.

Sam Morgan, extra weighman at the Arnold mine, returned Monday from a trip to Springfield, Tenn.

Jno. T. Barnett, of St. Louis, Mo., a former citizen of this place, is now connected with St. Bernard at St. Charles as mine guard.

The Oak Hill mines were sold at the court house Monday afternoon by Kirby Gordon. They were bought in by Jno. B. Brasher for the Pleasant Run Coal Co. for \$9,600, Judge Wm. Yost being the other bidder. They will be operated by that coal company.

Emmitt Powers Dead.

Mr. Emmitt Powers, aged 55 years, of Palmira, Tenn., died in this city Wednesday about 1:30 p. m. of pneumonia, and his remains were shipped to Palmira this morning. Mr. Powers had only been here a short time and was an employee of Mr. H. S. Corey. He leaves a wife and two children.

## Col. Roosevelt Explains Vatican Incident to the American People

By Theodore Roosevelt

"Rome, April 3, 1910.

"To the Rev. Lyman Abbott, Editor of The Outlook, New York:

"Through The Outlook I wish to make a statement to my fellow Americans regarding what has occurred in connection with the Vatican.

"I am sure that the great majority of my fellow citizens, Catholics quite as much as Protestants, will feel that I acted in the only way possible for an American to act, and because of this very fact I most earnestly hope that the incident will be treated in a matter of course as a merely personal, and, above all, as not warranting the slightest exhibition of rancor or bitterness.

"Among my best and closest friends are many Catholics. The respect and regard of those my fellow Americans who are Catholics are as dear to me as the respect and regard of those who are Protestants.

"On my journey through Africa I visited many Catholic as well as many Protestant missions. As I look forward to telling the people at home all that has been done by Protestants and Catholics alike, as I saw it, in the field of missionary endeavor, it would cause me a real pang to have anything said or done that would hurt or give

pain to my friends, whatever their religious belief.

"But any merely personal considerations are of no consequence in this matter. The important consideration is the avoidance of harsh and bitter comment such as may excite mistrust and anger between and among good men.

"The more an American sees of other countries the more profound must be his feelings of gratitude that in his own land there is not merely complete toleration, but the heartiest good will and sympathy between sincere and honest men of different faiths—good will and sympathy so complete that in the innumerable daily relations of our American life Catholics and Protestants meet together and work together without thought of the difference of creed being even present in their minds.

"This is a condition so vital to our national well being that nothing should be permitted to jeopardize it. Bitter comment and criticism, acrimonious attack and defense are not only profoundly harmful, and to seize upon such an incident as this as an occasion for controversy would be wholly indefensible and should be frowned upon by Catholics and Protestants alike, and all good Americans."

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

## THE SHRINERS HAVE DOIN'S

Class Initiated at Madisonville and Good Times Had.

Combination of Madisonville and Earlinton Home Talent.

The Nobles of the Mystic Shrine of Rishpa Temple held a very interesting ceremonial session Tuesday at Madisonville. A good class of novices were initiated and the attendance of nobles was good. The ladies were present at the banquet, as usual. Jas. R. Rash, the illustrious pontate, acted as toastmaster. Besides several short responses, in the way of talks, there was a very interesting musical and literary program. Miss Ashby, of Madisonville, gave a delightful recital entitled "The Confession." Mrs. David Kinchelov rendered a whistling solo with orchestra accompaniment. Mrs. Jas. R. Rash sang a solo in her usual pleasing manner. Frank D. Rash had to respond to an encore after singing the peculiarly appropriate humorous song, "I'm a Minister's Son." Miss Katie Murrell, of the Earlinton Graded School faculty, was also forced to respond with a second selection, after having captured the crowd by a very clever interpretation of a humorous reading in which love and a horse race were tangled up with a riddle for the prize. The Earlinton musicians of the Shrine were there with the goods as usual. Mr. Harry Anderson and his amateur Madisonville orchestra came in for praise and for a filling and satisfying program. Mrs. W. K. Niebet was accompanist for the Earlinton soloists, in her usual accomplished manner.

Nortonville Canning Company Bought.

Esq. J. H. Shaw has bought the Nortonville Canning Company's plant for the sum of \$800. It is said that the original cost of the plant was something like \$8,000.

## THE BIBLE INSTITUTE

Being Held at the Baptist Church This Week is Largely Attended.

The Bible Institute of the Baptist church has been in session in this city since Monday. There are quite a number of preachers in the city and the program is varied. Sixteen men are down for addresses on different subjects. Large crowds are in attendance and much interest is being manifested. They will adjourn tomorrow and the visitors will return to their homes. From expressions heard, the visitors are well pleased with our town and the treatment they have received from our citizens.

Broadwell Had April Fool Luck.

Joplin, Mo., April 2.—A pocketbook containing \$5,000 laid for three hours on the sidewalk in front of the Conner Hotel here yesterday and finally was recovered by the man who had lost it. William Broadwell, of St. Louis, dropped the wallet as he boarded an automobile in front of the hotel. A number of guests saw the wallet fall, but believing it to be an April fool joke, warily refrained from touching it. Three hours later Broadwell discovered his loss and hurriedly returned to the hotel. He found the pocketbook untouched on the sidewalk.

Mrs. J. W. Crawford Dead.

Mrs. Crawford, age 72 years old, mother of Mrs. Ernest Rash, died in this city Thursday night, March 25, about 11 o'clock, at the residence of Mr. Rash, of heart trouble. Mrs. Crawford's home is in Madisonville and she was here to visit her daughter. She leaves a son-in-law at Paris, Tenn., and a daughter at Bowling Green. She was buried at the Odd Fellows' cemetery at Madisonville Friday afternoon, March 25. The B. W. extends its condolence to the bereaved family.

Night Rider to Pay Death Penalty.

Nashville, Tenn., April 2.—The supreme court today affirmed the finding of the lower court in the case of Marcellus Rinehart, the night rider who killed Rufe Hunter in Montgomery county, and sentenced him to be hanged on May 28.

Look out for the Confederate Daughters next week.

## SOCIAL EVENTS.

The East End Card Club.

On Friday, April 1, the club was entertained by Mrs. Kline. Mesdames J. B. Atkinson, Rogers, Featherston and Hackney, Misses Rossell and Moorehead were guests of the club. Miss Lucy Crenshaw made the best score. Brick cream and cake were served by the hostess.

La So Con Club.

Miss Ruby Sisk entertained the La So Con Club Friday evening. The members were invited to make known their knowledge of geometry and astronomy. As a result, the La So Cons had some laughable encounters with cubes, and some rather distracting experiences with stars. Never were cubes more elusive, or stars more difficult to trace. While only a few of the La So Cons were winners in their disconcerting struggles with the former, with the latter all were more or less successful. During the social hour cream and cake were served. The favors were tiny fool's caps.

## MONEY FOR THE OHIO

Forthcoming Bill Will Carry \$4,650,000.

Over \$1,000,000 in Cash—Remainder for Continuing Improvements.

Washington, April 5.—The forthcoming rivers and harbors bill will carry a total of \$4,650,000 for the Ohio river.

Of this amount \$1,150,000 in cash and \$3,000,000 is authorized, with \$500,000 cash for continuing improvements. The bill will be reported the latter part of the week.

Senator Simmons, of North Carolina, a member of the committee, said the bill is a pronounced step forward.

"There was a general feeling in the committee," said Senator Simmons, "that an annual river and harbor bill was essentially necessary to put our waterway in condition to handle our growing commerce. In a way the bill is carrying out one of the platform of the National Rivers and Harbors congress, and there should be a bond issue to take care of the improvements in the event that current revenues were not of sufficient amount to make an appropriation of \$50,000,000 for ten years possible."

## MIST HIDES THAT COMET

Observers Can't See It Now Even With a Telescope—Where and When to Find It.

Chicago, April 5.—Chicago astronomers are waiting for the atmosphere to clear for their first near view of Halley's comet. Any night this week on which the sun sets clear with little vapor in the air may be taken as a signal that the comet may be observed in the eastern horizon before sun-up the next morning, they say. As it rises only a short time before daybreak, it will be visible so close to the horizon that any haze or mist in the air will obscure it.

"There hasn't been a favorable morning since April 1," said Father J. D. McHugh of DePaul University today. "I am hopeful that it will clear up by Friday, as the comet ought to be in very plain view by that time. Until the atmosphere becomes clearer, however, there is no hope of seeing it here in Chicago, even with instruments. If we could have another morning like last Friday, anyone who looked for the comet shortly before daylight could now see it."

WOULD MAKE NATION AS DRY AS A BONE

Southern Anti-Saloon League Adopts Resolutions at the Atlanta Meeting.

Atlanta, Ga., April 4.—Resolutions advocating national prohibition, calling upon churches to aid in the fight for prohibition and condemning interstate commerce laws as they now stand, allowing the shipment of liquors from a wet to a dry state, were adopted.

## DETH OF CONSUMPTION

At the Home of His Mother Last Thursday Night.

Thomas Wilson, aged sixteen years old, died last Thursday night at the home of his mother of consumption, and was buried Friday morning at 2 o'clock. Tommie had been an invalid for nearly a year and has been a patient suffer. The B. W. extends its condolence to his mother, brothers and sisters.

Delegation From Hopkins Co. Before Board of Equalization.

A delegation composed of County Judge R. B. Bradley, County Attorney G. W. Sybert, John B. Atkinson, O. J. Waddill, left yesterday for Frankfort to appear before the State board of equalization to protest against the increase made upon land and town lots in Hopkins county.

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Kissing dangerous? Get a breach of promise suit and find out.

Billsards that linger on the way become harmless as a summer's rain.

Baseball will soon make pocketbook look like 30 cents. The sap is rising.

Weather that makes the plumber kick and the loaman growl is the kind most folks like.

A pessimist is a man who believes that spring as an institution has been done away with.

A baby was born in New York recently with a full set of teeth, but it had no need of them.

Uncle Sam owns 1,000 hens at Panama and expects every one of them to do its part nobly.

Comets and the end of the world are no longer being worried simultaneously. They have dissolved partnership.

The Harvard professor who speaks a man can live on 30 cents the day speaks academically for academic purposes.

Did it ever occur to you how much easier the word "aeroplane" would be to pronounce if we could call it "aeroplane"?

Another plot has been discovered in Portugal. That kingdom is closely running Russia's old established record for plots.

The hen is a bird, says the treasury department. Any one buying "sticking fresh" eggs these days will agree that she is a luxury.

In 1942 the Chicago papers were voicing mild protests against the large spring bonnets. Millinery, like history, is a repeater.

If the comet has no much gas in its tail will not the gas companies of this mundane sphere warn it by injunction from trespassing on their domain?

A Paris editor gets four years for praising the murderer of a policeman, and the murderer of a Cuban editor serves one day. What is the moral?

One trouble is that a statesman in endeavoring to get to the level of the plain people is in danger of underestimating the plain people's intelligence and refinement.

One trouble of the city farmer will be how to plow his crops for the coming year when he looks over the price of everything he has been buying as a consumer.

The ice cream promenade has started in to work, poisoning 60 patrons of a church fair in a New Jersey town. But it takes more than this to frighten the brave who treat the fair.

Calculations of the enormous theoretical losses in a slump in the New York stock exchange afford very little consolation to the lamb who was in for a few thousands of real money.

Meatodon steaks, preserved in ice for 250,000 years, are said by cold storage advocates to be perfectly delicious. But that has nothing to do with the scarcity of strictly fresh eggs.

An unspelled French judge has decided that epistaters of 29 have no legal redress if they are killed, because by that time they are old enough to know whether a man is a murderer or not and it is their own fault if they are swindled out of their money at their expense.

The fair co-eds of a western university have issued a proclamation against the wearing of miniskirts by either students or professors, threatening a boycott of all who disobey this order. Any professor who wears a miniskirt is a slut, his wife a slut, his children a slut, his wife a slut, his children a slut, his wife a slut, his children a slut.

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Conquered, on the way to Toledo, a man who had the toothy turnips to sell, but was not satisfied with the price offered him by the wholesalers, and deliberately gave the turnips to the populace, who carried those turnips away in baskets, says Chicago Tribune. He could afford to do it, and he did it, and through his indignant generosity, so to speak, more people in Toledo profited on the toothy turnips during the next 24 hours than ever before in the history of the city, while all the circumstantial matter there was redolent of their more or less grateful perfume. But suppose it had been a carload of onions!

Even though the average wages of workmen in Germany have increased 30 per cent during the past 20 years, they still look small in comparison with the wages of workmen here in the United States.

Now an Illinois farmer comes forward with what is practically a cobless variety of corn. In this case the grains grow directly from the stem, and the resulting waste is said to be much less than in the cob kind. Will the evolution proceed until the husks also are eliminated?

# TEDDY DINES WITH KING

TALKS WITH HIM PRIVATELY FOR ALMOST AN HOUR.

Former President Visits Tombs of Raphael, King Victor Emmanuel and Humbert.

Rome.—Twice ex-President Theodore Roosevelt was the guest of King Victor Emmanuel on Monday. The king received the ex-president at an early hour at the Quirinal with particular warmth, and they talked together for nearly an hour. In the evening there was a grand dinner at the palace given by the king and queen in honor of Col. Roosevelt and his family. Great preparations have been going on for this event, and the queen herself directed all the arrangements, desiring that no detail should be neglected.

Following the audience, Mr. Roosevelt said the king had been so gracious and flattering both to him personally and to his country that he felt he should not make public anything concerning their conversation.

The formalities of the reception concluded, King Victor personally conducted Mr. Roosevelt to the hall of the palace. When the time came to say goodbye his majesty invited Mr. Roosevelt to drive with him Tuesday morning. The sovereign explained that though they would dine together at the court, he desired to see and talk with his guest further alone.

From the Quirinal Mr. Roosevelt drove to the Pantheon. Beyond the charm of his ancient memories, this site is sacred, as it contains the tombs of Raphael, King Victor Emmanuel, the father of his country, and King Humbert. At the entrance to the temple Mr. Roosevelt was saluted by the veterans of the wars of Italian independence, who for thirty-two years have guarded night and day the tomb of their chief.

The guest shook hands with each of the veterans, congratulating them upon the honorable duty in which they were engaged and saying that he had wished not to leave Rome without paying tribute of respect to the memory of the founder of the United Italy. He brought two wreaths, which were placed upon the tombs of Victor Emmanuel II and Humbert.

The determination of Mr. Roosevelt to forego an audience with Pope Pius X rather than subscribe to the conditions imposed by the Vatican has created a sensation. This is the first time that a United States president has refused to accept an audience with the pope.

Mr. Roosevelt sought an audience with the pontiff through American Ambassador Lehman and received a reply that the holy father would be delighted to receive him, but that the pope was busy with an expression of the hope that the audience would not be prevented by such a regrettable incident as made an audience for Vice-President Fairbanks impossible.

Mr. Roosevelt in turn stated that he could not accept an stipulation limiting his freedom of conscience, and that the latter message the Vatican made answer that the audience could not take place excepting on the understanding that the pope would be treated as purely personal and earnestly hoped that it will not give rise to any bitterness. He appreciated the attitude of the Vatican but felt that as a free American citizen he cannot consistently take any action that might be construed as involving a limitation of the freedom of his personal conduct.

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# APRIL SHOWERS

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# BRYAN'S HOME COMING

WANTS NO DEMONSTRATION WHEN HE LANDS IN NEW YORK.

Is Sincere in the Matter and His Wishes Will Be Regarded by His Friends.

Hot Springs, Ark.—William Jennings Bryan, writing from Buenos Ayres to Chairman Norman D. Macdonald of the national Democratic committee, urges that no demonstration of any sort be made over his arrival in New York. "Anything of that sort would be misconstrued and misinterpreted," is the language of Mr. Bryan. The letter was dated February 28, more than five weeks ago, and has been delayed in transmission, besides having to be forwarded after reaching this country. Mr. Bryan states in the letter that the matter had just been brought to his attention in the Buenos Ayres press, that there were being made in New York arrangements for a reception for the distinguished Nebraskaan.

"I prefer to arrive and go immediately West to my home," is another quotation permitted from a personal letter, written to Mr. Macdonald as a personal friend of Mr. Bryan. Mr. Macdonald stated in connection with the letter that it was a request that should be regarded, as Mr. Bryan was sincere in the matter, and had made himself as plain as necessary in the quotation. "Anything of that sort would be misconstrued or misinterpreted."

# FIGURES COST OF LIVING

Wages Do Not Keep Pace with Price of Foodstuffs.

Washington.—Senator Lodge, chairman of the select committee which is investigating the cost of living, Monday presented to the senate a mass of data supplied by consumer officers in Europe, although it is difficult to make comparisons in the form in which the data is given, the committee is convinced that "anything of that sort would be misconstrued or misinterpreted."

The committee expects later to analyze the figure and make a special report covering this character of information.

# AMBASSADOR TALKS.

Gov. McArthur Selects New Post for Roosevelt.

New York.—I nominate Theodore Roosevelt for ambassador extraordinary to all the courts of the world in the interests of universal and perpetual peace," said the Rev. Dr. R. S. MacArthur Sunday to his current events class in Calvary Baptist church. His proposal was applauded. Dr. MacArthur was discussing "What shall we do with Col. Roosevelt?"

"No man," he exclaimed, "can be named for any man in the world today," Dr. MacArthur continued. "The time is coming when the nations shall learn to war no more. Here we have a notable example of the varied talents, remarkable skill and wide experience of Col. Roosevelt. He has the ear of the civilized world in place high and low as no other man ever had. To him doors of palaces and cabinets will readily open."

Bones of Confederate Dead.

Gettysburg, Pa.—A few human bones are the contents of a shallow grave just found at the foot of East Cemetery hill. The bones are supposed to be those of one of the Louisiana Tigers, which command, on the morning of July 2, 1863, charged the steep declivity and spiked the guns of Weidrich's Federal battery. The Confederates were driven back to their position at the foot of the hill. Evidently this body was missed when the Confederates died on this battlefield were examined and taken to Hollywood cemetery at Richmond.

Railway Costs \$9,000,000 a Mile.

New York.—The Pennsylvania railroad opened to public inspection for the first time today 16.5 miles of the most expensive construction work, foot for foot, ever attempted—namely, its tunnel and terminal improvements from Harrison, N. J., to Sunbury, Long Island. The average cost of a mile of steam railroad is about \$25,000; the cost per mile of the tunnel and terminal improvement has been more than \$9,000,000. The company has thus far expended \$107,000,000 and will spend \$150,000,000 before the improvement is completed.

# JAP CASE GROWS GRAVE

JAPANESE STATE DEPARTMENT BEHIND MOVE FOR MEN.

U. S. State Department Non-Committal on Order Sent to Attorney-General of Philippine Islands.

Washington.—The question of the Japanese spies held at Manila by this government has become an important if not a serious affair.

Instructions were cable Thursday to the attorney general and the secretary of justice of the Philippines by the war department, detailing the proper procedure.

The instructions, it is stated, are concerned in by the state department, although the state department declares it has nothing to do with the case.

The attitude of the state department in the matter is justifiable, because it is excellent authority that the Japanese foreign office is behind the application of the two spies for release on habeas corpus.

It is admitted that if this case should, by any unforeseen circumstances, become one of negotiations between the state department and the Japanese foreign office, the issue would be very doubtful.

If the state department should yield to the Japanese contention, it would be because the state department chose to ignore a specific Philippine law which covers and can heavily punish the offense of the spies.

The aggravation of the offense of the two Japanese prisoners lies in the fact that they were endeavoring to get information which is concealed from the press at Washington.

The case of the prisoners is regarded as one of extreme delicacy. It includes elements, any one of which, should it go wrong, would involve the United States in a direct question of national honor with Japan.

# NEW OIL CO. BUYS WELLS

Holland Concern Spends \$5,000,000 in Oklahoma.

Bartlesville, Okla.—George C. Priestley, of Bartlesville, who executed the transaction by which Eastern capitalists recently secured options on the holding of about twenty Oklahoma oil companies for a Holland syndicate, received a message from New York stating that the contracts had been signed and the deal fully consummated. The transaction involves over \$5,000,000 and some of the best oil lands in the state. The purchasing syndicate announces that a new line to the gulf will be constructed soon. This, if true, gives denial to the current report that the Standard Oil Company was making the purchase. It is believed the transfer will increase the price of oil, and independent operators expect a new and far-advanced era in oil and gas development in Oklahoma.

# FLOODS IN LONE STAR STATE

Snow Adds to the Effects of Unprecedented Rains.

San Antonio, Tex.—Almost incessant rains for three days have put streams in this section of the country as high as has not been recorded in twenty years. In Uvalde county, west of here, beside the San Antonio river, 1,000 gates, which had been sheared early in the month, perished from the cold and rain. Bee men in Bexar county also lost thousands of dollars, the bees having reached their apiaries. At Fort Davis and Marfa, still further west, two inches of snow has fallen and fruit and young vegetation are killed. The loss will total high into the thousands, but in small compared with the benefits which will accrue to the farmers and stockmen from the rain.

# NEW COTTON BILL PROBABLE

Proposed Legislation Will Not Effect Grain Exchanges.

Washington.—It is probable there will be a new cotton anti-flood bill, likewise to be known as the Scott bill, to cover amendments to the original measure introduced by Chairman Scott, of the house committee on agriculture, prohibiting transactions in futures in grain markets.

It is practically settled, so far as the subcommittee on agriculture is concerned, that the grain exchanges will not be affected by the proposed legislation, the subcommittee taking the position that there is no sentiment in the West for such legislation, and that the future as in the case of the cotton exchange.

Don't Need \$30,000,000.

Washington.—The proposition to issue \$30,000,000 in government certificates of indebtedness for the purpose of completing old and new irrigation projects, one of the administration's conservation measures, which has been under consideration by the house ways and means committee intermittently for a month, was discussed by Director Fred H. Newell of the reclamation service. Mr. Newell told the committee that about \$7,000,000 annually was coming in to the reclamation service, which was sufficient to complete existing projects.

Can Governor Change Mind.

Frankfort, Ky.—Whether the governor of Kentucky may legally exercise the common privilege of changing his mind is a question which very probably will be submitted to the courts. Gov. Willson vetoed the bill amending the pure food law so as to allow oleomargarine to be sold when colored, if it was so branded. Later he recalled the measure and signed it. It is continued on the other side that after the bill passed into the hands of the secretary of state it was beyond the control of the executive.

Probable Barren Baking.

Washington.—Bakers called "recovery" houses, which obtain spirits by soaking empty barrels, have been called on by the internal revenue bureau to show cause why they should not be prohibited from continuing this practice. There are about thirty such houses in the country, and the estimate is made that they obtain at least \$100,000 in profits from each barrel by the soaking process, in consequence of which the government loses more or less revenue.

Recovery must be made after the department's order by May 15.

# KIDNEY TROUBLE

Suffered Ten Years—Retired in Three Months Thanks to F.E.R.U.A.

U. S. State Department Non-Committal on Order Sent to Attorney-General of Philippine Islands.

Washington.—The question of the Japanese spies held at Manila by this government has become an important if not a serious affair.

Instructions were cable Thursday to the attorney general and the secretary of justice of the Philippines by the war department, detailing the proper procedure.

The instructions, it is stated, are concerned in by the state department, although the state department declares it has nothing to do with the case.

The attitude of the state department in the matter is justifiable, because it is excellent authority that the Japanese foreign office is behind the application of the two spies for release on habeas corpus.

It is admitted that if this case should, by any unforeseen circumstances, become one of negotiations between the state department and the Japanese foreign office, the issue would be very doubtful.

If the state department should yield to the Japanese contention, it would be because the state department chose to ignore a specific Philippine law which covers and can heavily punish the offense of the spies.

The aggravation of the offense of the two Japanese prisoners lies in the fact that they were endeavoring to get information which is concealed from the press at Washington.

The case of the prisoners is regarded as one of extreme delicacy. It includes elements, any one of which, should it go wrong, would involve the United States in a direct question of national honor with Japan.

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# THOMAS JEFFERSON'S HOME AS IT APPEARS TODAY

BY WALDON LAWLETT

THE ARRIVAL of the month of April, with its recurring anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson, has served again to direct public attention to the project for securing as a national memorial the mansion and estate of Monticello, the famous Virginia home of the author of the Declaration of Independence. Next to Mount Vernon, Monticello is undoubtedly the most historic and most interesting private habitation in America. Not only was it the residence for more than half a century of one of the most admirable heroes of the republic and the last century's most celebrated render-

the sleeping chamber in which Jefferson died.

The house at Monticello was 32 years in building. Begun in 1770, it was not completed until 1802 and it cost, according to the account books of the famous architect and builder, the sum of \$7,200. The bricks were not imported from England, as in the case of many of the old Virginia mansions, but were made on the ground by the slaves, of whom Jefferson had at one time several hundred. The ornamental



THE MAIN HALL AT MONTICELLO

the resources of the Slaves of Monticello, who had not at any time in his life a fortune of much more than a quarter of a million dollars. In entertaining his guests, many of whom were almost total strangers, who came from idleness or curiosity, Jefferson went heavily into debt. In an effort to extricate himself he sold a large portion of his estate and even wished to dispose of Monticello by lottery, but the legislature of Virginia would not sanction this. His will, however, sold to the United States Congress his



LODGE AND GATEWAY AT MONTICELLO

MONTICELLO—DESIGNED AND BUILT BY THOMAS JEFFERSON

vous for statesmen, but this stately mansion, designed and built as well as occupied by Thomas Jefferson stands today in a perfect state of preservation, the finest remaining example of the old southern plantation manor house of the colonial period.

This noble seat, which ranked as the most imposing in Virginia at a period when the Old Dominion was dotted over with baronial holdings, is situated in the broken and picturesque Piedmont region and is reached from the quaint little city of Charlottesville via a winding road that has a sharp incline. En route to the eminence on which the mansion stands the visitor passes the tomb in the woods where repose the remains of the famous master of Monticello.

The nucleus of Thomas Jefferson's Virginia estate he inherited from his father, the tract comprising some 1,900 acres. At that time "the best highlands of Albemarle" were rated as worth not more than \$2 per acre, but the earning capacity of the property is indicated by the fact that from the outset it netted Jefferson not less than \$2,000 a year. The founder of the Democratic party gradually increased his holdings and in the year 1774 possessed more than 5,000 acres. Then several fine farms came to him as his wife's dower and thus the period of the Revolution found him one of the richest landed proprietors in the south.

Jefferson chose as the site of his home the crest of a hill which he designated Monticello, the Italian for Little Mountain. Assuredly no more beautiful or inspiring location could be imagined and veteran travelers all agree that the magnificent panorama which lies spread out before the gaze of the observer on this height is unsurpassed anywhere in the world. The little mountain on the apex of which Jefferson placed his residence is 580 feet high and in the form of a cone. It slopes eastward one and one-half miles to the Rivanna river.

Jefferson's birthplace is in sight of the portico at Monticello. Seemingly almost directly below is the University of Virginia, which was founded by Jefferson. President Monroe lived eight miles down the valley and the home of President Madison was but a few miles north. Incidentally it may be mentioned in passing that these three ex-presidents of the United States assembled at Monticello to welcome Lafayette on the occasion of his visit to the United States. From the cupola of his mansion Jefferson could gaze upon 12 of the richest counties of Virginia, and in one direction the view extends to the Blue Ridge mountains, nearly 50 miles away.

The top of the hill which Jefferson had designated Monticello he had leveled off for a building site, 600 by 200 feet in size. On this he erected his spacious mansion, which, with its wings or colonnades, is in the form of a gigantic letter E. The center of the letter is the mansion proper, while extending from it in positions somewhat corresponding to the arms of the E are wings, the flat roofs of which form promenades. The arrangement of the house is so far as these wings are concerned is very similar to that of the restored White House at Washington, in the designing of which Jefferson had a hand.

The mansion at Monticello is of the Doric order of Grecian architecture, with heavy columns and massive balustrades. The interior is in the Ionic style and it must be admitted that there is little about this magnificent home suggestive of Jeffersonian simplicity. The front hall reaches six feet within the wall of the building and a portico projects about 25 feet, with stone pillars and steps.

In the interior the hall or main room of the house extends to the full height of the building and is typical of the spaciousness of the house. There is a gallery under the ceiling where the ladies of the household could observe all that went on at the receptions which Jefferson frequently gave and where the band was stationed when he gave a ball. Opening from this hall are the salon or drawing room, the library, where Jefferson housed the major portion of his famous collection of 13,000 books, the dining room and

material for the house was brought from Philadelphia and every nail used in the construction was forged in a nail factory which Jefferson established on the place and a memento of which is found in the vine-covered ruin of the brick building provided for this manufactory.

After serving two terms as president of the United States Jefferson took up his residence at Monticello and there led a life very similar to that of Washington at Mount Vernon. Monticello was from this time forward, the scene of the most lavish hospitality ever known even in a land famous for its hospitality. In the end Jefferson, kind-hearted and pleased to play the host, was imposed upon unmercifully. Life at Monticello, for years, resembled that at a famous watering place.

Whole families journeyed to Monticello in their coaches—parties made up of fathers and mothers, children and nurses—and remained for periods of from three to six months. One family of six persons came from Europe and made a visit of ten months. After a short tour of the United States they returned and remained six months longer. One man came to present a letter of introduction and remained three weeks. Thirty-seven house servants were required for the domestic service, as can be imagined when it is stated that as many as 50 guests were frequently entertained over night at Monticello.

Naturally such "grafting" was too much for

valuable library, a sacrifice that cost him more mental anguish than any other he could have made. However, he died with many of his obligations yet undischarged, but he left to the credit of his heirs, every debt was ultimately paid.

After the death of Jefferson Monticello passed into the hands of a man who found himself unable to keep up the estate and who eventually sold it to Commodore Levy, a retired officer of the United States navy, for the sum of \$10,000. Levy several times offered it to the United States government or to patriotic societies, but none of them ever accepted his offer—it is said because he wanted too high a price. At his death the property passed to his son, Jefferson M. Levy, a New York lawyer, who has made some attempt to preserve Monticello in its pristine glory. Monticello is visited by increasing numbers of tourists every year and bids fair to become in time the strongest rival of Mount Vernon as a shrine for patriotic Americans.

## Golden City's Hindu Temple

The city, it appears, is honored by having built quite recently the first Hindu temple in the western world, or to be more exact, in the United States, a San Francisco letter to the Portland Oregonian says. The temple has been constructed under the supervision of those of the Vedantic faith.

The temple is in charge of two Hindus, both swami, or high priests of their faith, the chief of these being a Hindu named Prakashananda, who directs affairs. The building, which is a very similar to that of the restored White House at Washington, in the designing of which Jefferson had a hand.

On the roof of the temple are small towers, which are duplications of the predominating feature of the big temples in India. In view of the fact that this is the first temple of its kind erected in America, there is, surrounding all, an American angle.

Inside, the first thing that strikes the visitor is the absolute lack of the Oriental in the furnishings. Everything is severely American. There is an assembly hall capable of seating 200 people and it is here that the lectures are given. Across the street is a nunnery, in which there

are installed seven American women, who have taken the vows of the Vedantic faith. Although closely secluded, they are permitted to attend the daily services that are held in the temple.

Strangely enough, the Hindus in charge do not minister to those of their own faith, but cater to Americans, and particularly to those of money. They have a society, known as that of the enlisted members. They are the ones who keep the bills paid and the ones who attend the lectures. A prominent member of the firm that operates the emporium is said to have become an enlisted member recently. He also lives in the temple, along with the swamis and their neophytes.

Once every year the swamis and their band make a pilgrimage to a place in the Santa Clara valley, known as the San Antonio valley, not more than 20 miles from Mount Hamilton and the Lick Observatory. In that secluded nook they remain for a month, going through their meditations or yoga, as they are known. The swamis say the faith was first established in the United States some 40 years ago and in San Francisco ten years ago.

### CLAIMING THE EXCLUSIVE CREDIT.

Editor—Miggles, that was a good idea of yours to interview the sausage manufacturer, and what they thought of the wholesomeness of a mixed diet. It was a regular inspiration.

Newspaper—Er—no, Mr. Dumble, the idea was exclusively my own.

## Kentucky Gleanings

Most Important News Gathered from All Parts of the State.

### SELF-DEFENSE WAS PROVED.

McNamee Exonerated and Brother of Victim Shakes Him by the Hand.

Lexington, Ky.—Robert McNamee, who shot and killed Thomas W. McNamara in the home of Blanche Patterson, March 23, was dismissed of the charge of murder at his examining trial before County Judge Scott. By the testimony of Blanche Patterson, Emma Morgenson and herself, McNamee proved a case of self-defense, and Night Chief of Police William Jenkins testified that McNamee was his destined had requested that McNamee be neither arrested or prosecuted for shooting him. McNamee testified that he ran from the house naked after the shooting, went back for his clothes, dressed, got out on an early morning train for Columbus, O., remained there until after McNamara's funeral and surrendered at the county jail here.

Edward McNamara, brother of the dead man, who was the only member of the family active in this prosecution, walked over to McNamara and grasped him by the hand and said he wanted to show him that he bore no ill feeling against him. McNamara also shook hands with the father, mother and uncle of McNamara, as well as the attorney for the defense and friends of the young man.

### NO PROMISE OF POSITIONS.

Panama Canal Zone Patronage Is Denied.

Frankfort, Ky.—M. H. Thatcher, who has been appointed a member of the Panama Canal Commission, returned here from Lagrange, where he had been in conference with Senator W. O. Bradley. He made the following statement: "I have not yet secured my bearings. I do not know what patronage attaches to the appointment nor will I undertake to make any promises of positions. The present law provides for the 'Isthmian Canal Commission,' and I have been named as one of its members. The commission is in charge of the canal zone and canal construction. The commission, I take it, acts as a body. I do not know when I will leave for Panama. It may be several weeks yet. I have a number of official and business matters to adjust before leaving and I hope to be given time therefore."

### JOHNSTON'S REPORT

Says the Kentucky National Guard Is in Fine Condition.

Frankfort, Ky.—According to the annual report of Adj. Gen. P. P. Johnston, submitted to Gov. Wilson, the national guard of Kentucky was never in a better condition than at present. Under Adj. Gen. Johnston are Lieut. Col. Thomas W. Woodrard, on duty at the quartermaster's department; Judge W. L. Jett, who has charge of the Confederate Veterans; Lieut. Col. A. McLean Moffett, who is in charge of the inspector general's department; Col. Woodrard reports that there was on deposit Dec. 10, 1907, to the credit of the governor claims for services of Kentucky troops in the Spanish-American war \$22,540.65, and that the outgoing governor disbursed \$13,501.73, leaving a balance of \$9,038.92 to be disbursed.

### "TEMPORARILY INSANE."

Culley Is Freed on Charge of Slaying Proctor.

Louisville, Ky.—"Not guilty on account of temporary insanity," read the verdict returned by the jury in the case of Robert M. Culley, who was freed after being held for the murder of W. E. Proctor. The verdict of the jury caused confusion on account of its wording. A big crowd remained about the courthouse until the verdict was brought in. Culley shot Proctor after his wife told of an alleged assault at the hands of the latter.

Louisville, Ky.—Within the next few weeks the Louisville Railway Co. will begin the work of extending the Fern Creek Interurban line to Mt. Washington. The new line will bring Louisville and Fern Creek into communication with a rich and populous part of the county.

Lawrenceburg, Ky.—Two hundred thousand pounds of tobacco owned by the Luray Tobacco Co., the Lawrenceburg Supply Co., the poultry house of A. Hawkins & Co., and the Lexington tobacco auction, were destroyed by fire here, entailing a loss of \$75,000. Origin of the fire is a mystery.

Frankfort, Ky.—Ozell Fraser, aged 58 years, park engineer for Louisville and assistant landscaper on the capitol grounds, died here from paralysis with which he was stricken in Gov. Wilson's office while attending a meeting of the Capitol Commission.

Leitchfield, Ky.—Charles Carroll, a 16-year-old son of a prominent farmer, was assassinated at his home at Goff's, Edmondson county, by a band of 12 masked men. Carroll was called to the door of his home and shot in the back.

### ANXIOUS FOR SUCCESSOR.

Superintendent Crabbe Desires to Assume New Duties.

Frankfort, Ky.—Gov. Wilson is the busiest man in Kentucky now, preparing to place some more republican in the place of his successor. The most important is that of the office of state superintendent of public instruction. Superintendent Crabbe would like to have the governor act on his resignation as soon as possible, for he desires to take part in the commencement exercises of the Eastern Normal school as the president of the institution. Prof. Elsworth Regan, of Newport, is mentioned as Crabbe's successor. Gov. Wilson has his name under consideration, but there is no telling, for it is understood that Gov. Wilson has a great admiration for former County Superintendent Taylor, of Pulaski county, who was sacrificed by the new school law.

Thara Thatcher's Old Job. The office of State Inspector and Examiner M. H. Thatcher will become vacant as soon as he receives his commission as a member of the Panama Canal Zone Commission. W. E. Bidwell, formerly the head of the banking department under Secretary of State Branner, is tipped for the job, but he is one of Gov. Wilson's favorites. This position pays \$2,500 a year.

By June 1 the printing commission, of which Gov. Wilson is a member and chairman, must appoint a successor to J. W. Kedden, the present superintendent of public printing. Another good job to be given out is that of the clerk, look after the stamping and recording of the interest-bearing warrants. This place was created by the recent legislature, and the clerk will be appointed by Treasurer Parley. It is probable that for a while at least the clerk in the treasurer's office will do the work and split the salary.

Governor Wilson may also have the appointment of the appellate judge from the Fourth district to succeed Judge Henry S. Barker, who will become the president of the State university in September.

It is understood, too, that Floyd Thatcher, secretary to Commissioner Rankin, is going to Panama as the secretary to the Panama Canal Commission, and this will leave a job open for a young man or a young woman in that department. All of these places pay from \$100 a month on up.

### "TRIM IT UP, DOC."

Said Boy to Physician After Left Foot Was Crushed.

Louisville, Ky.—"Say, stop this elevator; you've torn my foot off," was the shrill cry uttered by a boy after the boy running the elevator at the Louisville & Nashville office building here by Heros Stanley, aged 15, when his left foot was caught between the elevator and the second floor landing. The boy was taken to the core, and when the elevator had been taken to the lower floor he hoped over into the surgeon's office and said without the suggestion of a tremor: "Say, doc, my foot has been mashed off. Won't you trim it up a little?" Dr. George Heros Stanley, who attended the boy, said that he had the most wonderful nerve of anybody he had ever seen.

Lancaster, Ky.—Edward H. Walker died at his home in this county after a lingering illness of blood poisoning. Mr. Walker was the eldest of the famous Walker family, and he was himself a man of national note as a fox hunter. Several times he has been president of the National Fox Hunter's association. He will be buried at Paint Lick, Ky.

Covington, Ky.—Warrents were sworn out by John E. Hays, Jr., and John T. Vest for the arrest of W. T. Stephens and J. N. Jackson, of Piner, Ky., who are charged with selling 4,000 pounds of pooled tobacco, and Richard Thomas and Emanuel Wilson, of Nicholas, Ky., for selling 8,000 pounds of pooled tobacco.

Glasgow, Ky.—The logs of the old Lincoln cabin, which have been stored in Louisville since the 18th day of May last, were carried to Hodgenville and are being hauled to the Lincoln farm, where they will be placed in the new Memorial Hall and stay until time is no more.

Louisville, Ky.—James P. Heim, 54 years old, one of Louisville's best known attorneys, is dead.

Richmond, Ky.—Eugene Poole, 40 years old, was arrested at Nashville, by Special Postal Agent C. S. Patterson and brought here, charged with robbing mails. He was arrested while on a bond was fixed at \$2,000.

Newport, Ky.—Former Sheriff John P. Nessel, indicted for a conspiracy in the credit chucks to an indictment charging him with failing to perform an official duty in the suppression of a postroom, and an agreed fine of \$24 and costs was entered.

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## VOTES FOR WOMEN.



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## ST. BERNARD MINING CO. ATPOITLEY COAL COMPANY

### NOTICE OF MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the St. Bernard Mining Company will be held at the office of the Company, in Earlington, Kentucky, on Wednesday, May 11th, 1910, at 11 o'clock a. m., standard time, for the election of directors and the transaction of all such other business as may legally come before the meeting. Including the approval and ratification of all action of the Board of Directors and of the Executive Committee since the last annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Company.

By order of the Board of Directors.  
J. H. O. ATKINSON,  
Earlington, Ky. Secretary.  
April 1st, 1910 4t.

Great Britain Best Customer.  
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To illustrate, if you buy a dollar's worth of Domestic or anything else, you draw one orange; if you buy a suit for twenty dollars you draw twenty oranges—one orange for each dollar spent from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m. We have the greatest line of spring offerings and at the most marvelously low prices that it has ever been our pleasure to show, and this distribution of silver and gold is done in appreciation of splendid patronage that has been accorded us and to put a good feeling of fellowship in all who spend their money with us this day.

## The Dulin Store

If You See It in Our Ad You May Know It is so

# Opening Announcement

## The Ideal Variety Store

Will Open in the Victory Building, Earlington, Ky.,

Thursday, April 14th

With a select line of Chinaware, Glassware, Enamelware, Tinware, Light Hardware, Hair Goods, Jewelry and Notions at

Popular Prices

Our specialty will be  
5c, 10c and 25c Goods

Don't Fail to Take Advantage of our Opening  
Bargains

## Nurse Says:

"I know what is good for young and old people," writes Mrs. Clara Dylstra, a trained nurse of South Bethlehem, Wash., "and will say that I consider Cardui the best medicine for girls and women. It makes them feel like new persons, relieves their pain and regulates womanly troubles. Both my daughter and I received great benefit."

Take CARDUI

## The Woman's Tonic

As a medicine for female troubles, no medicine you can get has the old established reputation, that Cardui has. Fifty (50) years of success prove that it has stood the greatest of all tests—the test of TIME. As a tonic for weak women, Cardui is the best, because it is a woman's tonic. Pure, gentle, safe, reliable. Try Cardui.

## News of the Town

Goodrich leads for photographs.  
Pianos for sale and rent. W. J. Bailey's. 11-4t.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Otley Vannoy Friday night, a fine boy.

Geo. Newbolt will soon move to his new home on Moss avenue.

Born to the wife of William Shuman, on the 5th inst., a fine boy.

Sewing Machine. W. J. Bailey's, Madisonville, Ky., phone 384. 13-2t.

Dan Unstead is having an addition built to his home on Main street.

Mrs. Hugh Griffin, of St. Charles, who has been quite ill, is reported better.

Don't buy a Sewing Machine until you phone W. J. Bailey, Madisonville, Ky. 13-2t.

Dempsey Hale left last week for Louisville, where he has secured a position with a new company.

Quite a number of the Shriners and their ladies attended the banquet at Madisonville Tuesday night.

Farmers, you can get your plows sharpened or repaired; also get new handles at Newton's shop, Earlington, Ky. 14-2t.

Miss Richie Stone spent Thursday night in Madisonville with friends. She attended the dance at the Elks' Hall.

W. J. Bailey, of Madisonville, has for sale an electric motor used for a sewing machine. See him before you buy. 14-4t.

All the old shacks have been moved from around the new City Hall and a park will be made between it and the railroad.

FOR SALE—A brand new, hard made wagon at Newton's shop. Made of the very best material throughout. Size 5x9 truss wheels. 14-2t.

The Peoples Bank of Earlington has opened one or more new accounts every day for the past three months, and they are not losing any old ones.

A complete line of steel buggy tires, shafts, singletrees, spokes and rims, cross bars and all kind of buggy fixtures at Newton's shop, Earlington, Ky. 14-2t.

From present indication the E. A. C. will have a large crowd at their show at Mornings Gap April 16. A large number from here will attend. Butly Eugene, as a coon, is great.

As other cities are having cleaning-up day it would be a good idea for our mayor to issue a call on the citizens to meet on a certain day thoroughly clean up the streets and alleys.

The clock in the tower of the Catholic church was out of commission two days last week. The people have come to depend on this time piece and miss it greatly when it is not running.

The K. of P. Lodge at Madisonville were reorganized last week. This lodge has been on the wane for some time, but now it has taken on new life and lots of new members are being secured.

By special request Manager McGary will open his skating rink Saturday night. It was announced last Saturday night would be the last, but the young people like to have some place to enjoy themselves.

J. H. Corbett, the photographer, is having the old home house rebuilt for a gallery. It will be made larger and a sky light put in the roof and sides and when completed will, no doubt, be the best gallery in any town of its size in the State.

Joe C. Barnes, of the First regiment, U. S. A., is in the city. He is connected with the home company as instructor, prior to the inspection on April 18. He is First Sergeant of his company and was in the Third Kentucky regiment in '98 and '99.

The Pleasant View Greenhouse between this city and Madisonville is one of the largest in this part of the State, there being 18,000 square feet under glass. Mr. Chervenka, the manager, cut 3,000 carnations and 1,000 roses Tuesday morning. They are selling for more than \$1.00 this spring, making 1,900 square feet under glass. T. M. Metcalf, of Hopkinsville, is the owner.

## Not a Drop of Alcohol

What is a "tonic"? A medicine that increases the strength or tone of the whole system. What is an "alterative"? A medicine that alters or changes unhealthy action to healthy action. Name the best "tonic and alterative"? Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the only Sarsaparilla entirely free from alcohol. Try your own doctor all about it. Never take a medicine doctors cannot endorse.

J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Without daily action of the bowels poisonous products must be absorbed. Then you have impure blood, biliousness, headache. Ask your doctor about Ayer's Pills for constipation.

## Personal - Mention

F. D. Rash was in Madisonville Monday.

E. N. Clark was in Madisonville Monday.

Geo. C. Atkinson was in Evansville Friday.

Jas. R. Rash was in the county and Monday.

Chas. Curtis, of Hopkinsville, was in the city Monday.

Geo. Miller spent Saturday with relatives at Crofton.

Mrs. David Adams was in Madisonville Wednesday.

Alfred H. Jones, of Barnstable, was in the city this week.

Mrs. Guy Ashby visited friends in Madisonville Saturday.

Miss Dot Bean visited friends in Madisonville Saturday.

Jack Dockery, of Madisonville, was in the city Saturday.

Geo. W. Rash, of Madisonville, was in the city yesterday.

S. C. Harland, of St. Charles, was in the city on business Friday.

Mrs. A. O. Sisk made friends in Madisonville a visit Monday.

S. M. Kimmel made his parents in Henderson a visit Sunday.

Dr. W. K. Nisbet made a business trip to Madisonville Monday.

Mrs. Albert Hawes, of Howell, is visiting in the city this week.

Bass Todd, of Sullivan, Ind., is visiting in the city this week.

Mrs. D. E. Lynn made friends in Madisonville a visit Saturday.

Mrs. Richard Griffin visited relatives in Madisonville Monday.

Mrs. Joe Motherhead paid friends in Madisonville a visit Friday.

Miss Carrie Atkinson is visiting friends in Louisville this week.

Mrs. Wm. Bradley spent Wednesday with friends in Madisonville.

Mrs. Jno. B. Atkinson visited friends in Madisonville last week.

Miss Laura Woodruff, of St. Charles, was in the city Saturday.

Miss Ella Vincent has returned from a visit to friends in Graham.

Will Wilson, policeman at Madisonville, was in the city Tuesday.

Miss Edna Overall, of Madisonville, visited in the city yesterday.

Joan Phillips and Charles Barnett were in Madisonville Monday.

Everett Smith, of Eldorado, Ill., is visiting his father, Willis Smith.

Ott Powers and wife spent Sunday in Madisonville, with relatives.

Joan Witherspoon and wife made friends in Madisonville a visit Saturday.

Lee Oldham, of Hopkinsville, spent a few days last week in the city.

Ed Coffman, of Slaughter, spent Tuesday in the city on business.

Mrs. W. A. Randolph spent Monday in Madisonville as a guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rash spent Sunday in the country near Madisonville.

Rice Bowles and Dr. C. B. Johnson made a business trip to Fox Run last week.

Mrs. H. H. Holman, of Madisonville, visited Mrs. E. R. McGee last week.

Mrs. Jno. Byrum, of Colton, spent Sunday with her father, W. A. Toombs.

Miss W. A. Coffman, of Slaughter, is visiting the family of Jno. Lanier.

Mrs. P. Shaver and daughter, who have been visiting in Nashville, returned home.

Miss Katherine Spillman, who has been visiting in Lexington has returned home.

Hazel Griffin, stable boss at the Fox Run mines, was in the city on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Rex McEuen, who has been visiting her mother at Cadiz returned home last week.

Chas. Barnett and wife will leave tomorrow for a week's visit to friends in Kansas City, Mo.

Jodie Long and wife, St. Charles, passed through the city Saturday en route to Madisonville.

Miss Ethel Oliver, of Howell, who is visiting Miss Mabel Gough, will be in home Saturday.

A. B. B. Hackney and children, of Howell, Ind., are visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Rogers.

Mrs. H. Browning and daughter, Mrs. W. S. McGary, made friends in Madisonville a visit Saturday.

Walton Perry, who has been on duty at the Mornings Gap store for a few days, has returned home.

Miss Ella Griffin, of Linton, Ind., who has been visiting her uncle, Fleet Griffin, returned home today.

Miss Elizabeth Nisbet, of Oklahoma City, visited in the city Saturday. She is visiting relatives in Madisonville.

Mrs. A. J. Jorgenson, of Fulton, who has been visiting her brother, Dr. P. B. Davis, returned home last week.

Mrs. Iley Lane and her visitor, Mrs. J. W. White, of Birmingham, Ala., made friends in Madisonville a visit Monday.

Mrs. Dr. Lamb and daughter, of Madisonville, were in the city Saturday night. They attended the band concert at the rink.

Miss Lizzie Gill, who has been visiting friends in Bloxi, Miss., returned home last week. She leaves in a few days for a visit to Hot Springs, Ark.

Miss Lizzie Russell, of Jordan-

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Is educative in style and quality and instructive in all that pertains to fit and correct form for all purposes in wear. Buying from us you buy from the makers all that is best and right at a nominal price. Men's Suits \$10, and Boys' Suits \$3.50, and also Hats, Shoes and Furnishings at popular prices. Phone or mail orders receive prompt attention. We rebate fares. Let's hear from you.

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## Paint Lick Lady Writes Thanks

For the Great Benefit That Cardui,  
the Woman's Tonic, Was to  
Her When Sick

Paint Lick, Ky.—"I suffered so much from womanly trouble," writes Mrs. Mary Freeman, of Paint Lick, Ky., "before I commenced to take Cardui."

"I was so weak from it, that I was down on my back nearly all the time. I have taken three bottles of Cardui and it has done me more good than any medicine I ever took in my life."

"I can't possibly praise it too highly. It has done so much for me and I will do all I can to help you for I think it is the only medicine on earth that will cure female troubles."

You need not be afraid to try Cardui, for in doing so you are making no experiment in drug dosing or in tablets of concentrated mineral ingredients.

Cardui as a medicine, as a tonic for weak, tired, worn-out women, is time-tested, safe, reliable. It has helped others and should certainly help you.

Composed of gentile-acting, herb ingredients, its action is mild and natural and it has no bad after-effects, as have many of the powerful drugs, sometimes recommended.

Try it.

N. D.—Write to Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and six-page book, "Nature's Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

WHAT DID HE MEAN?



Landis—I had to pay 25 cents a pound for this stink.  
Star Boarder—That's tough.

IN HOSPITAL FOR NINE MONTHS.  
Awful Tale of Suffering From Kidney Trouble.

Alfred J. O'Brien, Second St., Sterling, Colo., says: "I was in the Bathing Marine Hospital, Kentucky, for nine months. I had a bad pain in the small of my back that was completely wore me out. The urine was in a terrible state, and some days I passed half a gallon of blood. I left the hospital because they wanted to operate on me. I went to St. Joseph's Hospital at Omaha and put in three months there without any gain. I was pretty well discouraged when I was advised to use Doan's Kidney Pills. I did so and by the time I had taken one box, the pain in the back left me. I kept right on and a perfect cure was the result."

Remember the name—Doan's.  
For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

In Demand.  
An Infant in a Pullman car set up a loud wail, and would not be comforted. "Narrates a high school official," and I came forward and told the young mother that I had helped to raise five, and that I thought I could secure a quietness. I put the little turn across my knee, and with a gentle juggle achieved beautiful results.

"Instead of giving me the credit I deserved some drummers in the car showed stern disapproval of my 'butting in.'"

"At two a. m. the baby woke up and staid awake, and kept every one else in the car awake. Finally a gruff voice asked:

"Where's that fool that put it to sleep this afternoon, I wonder?"

Absolute Equality.  
The Woman—The tax office is one I like I simply love to go to.

The Man—Very few people do. Why do you like it?

The Woman—Because it is absolutely the only place where no discrimination is made against me because I am a woman. They let me there any just as much as if I were a man.

Studies in Bill Life.  
"I want a few colored illustrations of bills and tonies."

"Life size?" inquired the artist.  
"Catalogue size," replied the seedsmen, with a significant smile.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

For Headache Try Hicks' Capudina.  
Whether from Colds, Heat, Stomach or Nervous troubles, the aches are speedily relieved by Capudina. It is pain-killer and to take effect immediately. 20, 25 and 50c at Drug Stores.

Of course, women are a trifle vain, but did you ever see a man take up an opportunity to look in a mirror?

## DEMOCRATS SEEM SURE OF VICTORY

Confident That They Will Be In  
Control of Sixty-Second  
Congress.

REPUBLICANS SMILE AT CLAIM

Declare Opponents by Blunder De-  
stroyed Their Best Issue—Arizona  
and New Mexico Putting For-  
ward Strong Claims for  
Statehood.

Washington.—The Democrats in the house of representatives seemingly have lost none of their confidence that they are to be in control when the Sixty-second congress comes together in December, 1911. The regular Republicans say that the Democrats committed a tactical blunder when they allied themselves with the insurgents in the effort to defeat what had come to be known as Cannonism. The old-time regulars declare that the time of the conflict should be postponed. The members of both factions in the Republican party want to be re-elected congress and each side realises apparently that the great hope of the return of a majority of Republicans lies in concord for the rat of the session and in the passage of administration measures, so that the present majority party can go before the country with at least a semblance of harmony. The deals of the insurgents and regulars seem to be that they may be able to say to the people that while they had their troubles they finally got together and passed progressive legislation. The regulars kept the party flag as outlined in the planks of the national platform adopted at the convention in Chicago two years ago next June.

The Democrats do not believe that the Republicans can keep in a harmonious state even for the rest of the session.

Eager to Become States.  
Arizona and New Mexico may be obliged to wait "until a more convenient season" for the ratification of statehood. The party in power has promised that the territorial form of government soon shall be a thing of the past, but the question of representatives of the two territories who are anxious for statehood would like to have answered is just what is meant by "soon."

The friends of statehood, in their anxiety, cannot see any other reason for the further exclusion of the territories from the union except the one political reason that the Republicans do not want to add to the senate's Democratic membership just at the present time. The Republicans, however, who are saying that they are not opposed to statehood after proper preparations for it can be made, deny that political considerations are anything to do with their unwillingness to act quickly or, as they put it, hastily. It is not altogether assured, however, that if the territories are to be given statehood at once their legislatures would elect four Democratic senators.

Dealing with Mexican Element.  
There is a considerable element in the population of Arizona and New Mexico which is of Mexican extraction. Thousands of these people have kept their old Mexican ways and their great many of them cannot speak English. It has been proposed to deny suffrage to all men excepting those capable of speaking English.

The desire of Republicans who are not opposed to statehood even at the present time is that if administration votes to the territories they shall hold their constitutional conventions and their elections of state officers at different times. It is held by some advocates of this plan that in the scramble for the offices the people might be led to adopt constitutions without proper study of their conditions. It is said, would happen unless the voting on the ratification of the constitutions and on the election for state officers were held at widely separated times.

It is yet problematic whether or not statehood for the two territories will come to a vote at the present session of congress. Even those who are opposed to admitting them into the United States say that the time is not far distant when they must be admitted, because neither party can afford to ignore the promise that it has made. The Republicans, it is claimed, if they continue in power, cannot afford to be heedless for any great length of time of the president's recommendation in favor of granting the rights of statehood to the two southwestern territories.

Defense of Railroad Bill.  
The troubles in the house of representatives, the debate in the senate on the interstate commerce bill, and other matters, have rather shadowed the issue of statehood for the two territories, but within the shades there has been a half oblique scene of activity. It does not seem probable that the demand of the territories for a new form of government which will make them states of the union will long be denied, but if the friends of immediate action are to be successful the Republicans are none too anxious just now to give the territories admission because the majority party does not wish immediate action to add four Democratic congressmen to the majority party representation in the upper house.

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who because of sympathy with the trials of the unfortunals will endeavor to secure for them and their measures such recognition as is possible. The rules committee does not set on many bills but the influence of the members always has been great.

Now that the committee has been enlarged the Democrats probably will exercise more influence than they did when the committee was smaller. The regular Republicans know that there is a likelihood at any time that the insurgents and the Democrats may get together once more and defeat any measure which the minority party and the majority of the majority party consider as being of a nature likely to cause a return of the old conditions of house control. At any time the combination of the insurgents and the Democrats can force the election of new rules committee by joining forces, passing a resolution to that effect and compelling the election of the rules members in the open house.

For these reasons the organization Republicans on the rules committee, it is believed, unquestionably will pay the greater heed to actions which may be offered at the committee meetings by the Democratic minority membership.

Future Conflicts Unlikely.  
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## NOT LOOKING FOR TROUBLE

Young Men Unnecessarily Alarmed  
Over Question Put to Him by  
Old Gentleman.

A quiet, handsome sort of a young fellow was making a call on a Capitol hill girl one evening not so very long ago, when her father came into the parlor with his wife. The girl was about half past nine o'clock. At the moment the young man was standing on a chair, straightening a picture over the piano. The girl had asked him to fix it. As he turned the old gentleman, a gruff, stout fellow, said:

"Young man, do you know what time it is?"

The bashful young fellow got off the chair and replied: "Yes, sir," he replied. "It was just going."

He went into the hall without any delay and took his hat and coat. The girl's father followed him. As the caller reached for the doorknob the old gentleman again asked him if he knew what time it was.

"Yes, sir," was the youth's reply. "Good-night!" And he left without waiting to put his coat on.

After the door had closed the old gentleman turned to the girl.

"What's the matter with that fellow?" he asked. "My watch ran down this afternoon and I wanted him to tell me the time so that I could set it."

Denver Post.

Money and expense are not essential to luxury and attractive rooms. A dollar and fifty cents' worth of material will completely transform a crude, insubstantial room into a graceful, dainty apartment.

Really it is good taste and skill that makes the home homelike. That dainty touch is worth twice as much as money.

Wall paper is expensive—it costs money to buy it, to hang it and again to remove it. With one of the alabaster wall there is only the slight cost of the material—any one can brush it off the wall when a fresh coat is required.

It is not necessary to wash it very simply, but the results are simply beautiful. That new that we have a little more than the cost of a single room when ordinary materials are used.

And this is the reason why we have so much better materials for use in the common parlance and paint are now as much out of date as the old time wallpaper. The new alabaster wall, with its doors, mere money is no longer an essential in making a room a home.

The new materials and labor-saving machines are most welcome to us all—and every thoughtful woman, every woman who cares for her home, if you utilize them.

THOUGHT SO LITTLE.



ChollyChumpleh—I'm not afraid, don't know, to say what I think. I'll tell you what I think. You ought to be afraid—but you ought to be ashamed.

Murphy.  
The prisoner at the bar was of swarthy complexion and was charged with peddling a license. "What is your name?" asked the magistrate.

He says his name is Murphy," repeated the policeman of the bridge.

"An Irishman peddling bananas, eh? What part of Ireland do you come from?"

"That's where he was born in Italy," again repeated the bridge policeman.

"Umph! The Murphys are numerous, but I didn't think they had spread to Italy," said the judge to be made the fine \$1 and asked the man to spell his name.

The prisoner wrote on a piece of paper: "G. W. Murphy." — New York Sun.

ROBY COLOR  
Produced by Postum.

"When a person rises from each meal with a ringing in the ears and a general sense of nervousness, it is a common habit to charge it to a de-ranged stomach."

"I found it was caused from drinking coffee, which I never suspected for a long time, but found by leaving off coffee that the disagreeable feelings went away."

"I was brought to think of the subject by getting some Postum and this brought me out of trouble."

"It is a most appetizing and invigorating beverage, and has been such great benefit to me that I naturally speak of it from time to time as an opportunity offers."

A lady friend complained to me that she had tried Postum, but it did not taste good. In reply to my question she said she guessed she boiled it about ten minutes. I advised her to follow directions and know that she had boiled it fifteen or twenty minutes, and she would have something worth talking about. A short time ago I heard of one of her children say that they were drinking Postum now-a-days, so I judge she succeeded in making it good, which is by no means a difficult task.

"The son of one of my friends was formerly a prize lad, but since he has been drinking Postum has a fine complexion and plenty of evidence that Postum actually does 'make red blood,' as the famous trade-mark says."

Read "The Road to Wellville," found in books, "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time, showing you how good and full of human interest.

Slipcase.  
Very few men know how to keep still. The Italians have a proverb, "Hear, see, and say nothing, if you wish to live in peace." The man who is bent on telling all he knows, generally ends in telling a good deal more than he knows. The tongue is harder to hold than the wildest horse that ever roared in the prairie. The Chinese say truly that talking comes by nature, while silence comes of the understanding.

After  
DOCTORS  
FAILED

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cured Her

Knoxville, Iowa.—"I suffered with pains low down in my right side for a year or more and was so weak and nervous that I could not do my work. I tried all the medicines I could get, but nothing did me any good. I tried Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills, and am glad to say that your medicines have done more for me than anything else I had. I had the best physicians here, I can do my work and rest well at night. I believe there is nothing like the Pinkham remedies."

Mrs. CLARA FRANKS, R. F. D. No. 8, Knoxville, Iowa.

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled. It may be regarded as a perfect condiment for women who suffer from displacement, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills, and suffering women owe it to themselves at least to give this medicine a trial. Proof is abundant that it has cured thousands of others, and why should it not cure you?

If you want special advice write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for it is free and always helpful.

Don't Persecute  
your Bowels

Care of colic and griping. They are treated by Carter's Little Liver Pills.

They have Claret, Bitter Root, Hering Bones, and other ingredients. They are made in the United States. They are sold by all druggists.

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## Spring Millinery



By JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

WHEN the thermometer marks more weather in early February, or earlier, the great importing millinery houses are humming with business. They are filled with an army of women choosing from bewildering varieties of the flowers and feathers and laces, the airy fabrics and lustrous ribbons and all the other decorative materials with which they intend to clothe the heads of their patrons.

These enterprising women have found a world of blossom this season, wherein all the flowers of the garden and those of the field have been faithfully copied in muslin or silk or tulle. No other trimming is shown in such profusion and hats are really flower laden. The blossoms are arranged in masses over the crowns, in wreaths and bandeaus and in smart standing aigrettes. Often they are lightly swathed in tulle which covers them in swirls or soft puffs. This redeems the masses of flowers from too heavy appearance.

The shapes on which such a profusion of flower trimming is shown, vary in style and in size from the small close-fitting oriental turban to the largest of picture hats. The summer girl will delight in the wide brims and flowing lines with masses of blossoms, and she will bring down blessings and other things upon her pretty head when she takes up more space than really belongs to her. But whoever saw too many flowers? The summer girl is sure to be forgiven, no matter to what extremes she goes—and she knows it.

The smaller hats are nearly all made of brads. These are so light in weight that they are sewed into curls or squares and draped as easily as if they were cloth. For the turban shapes the trimming is placed in smart-standing effects and there are numbers of grass and flower sprays made up for the purpose of trimming them.

### SIMPLE STYLE FOR HATPIN

Utility More Than Ornament is the Idea in This Millinery Accessory.

Nowadays the hatpin is an important millinery accessory, and cleverly combines beauty with utility in an almost unimagineable way.

So important is this little ornament that the only trimming on a large shape will be jeweled disks that are very satisfying to the woman who aims at elegant simplicity.

Besides the huge round forms there are long cylindrical pins studded with jewels; there are conventional forms that hint of the orient in their coloring; there are pins that offer suggestions of home manufacture, for brocade, tapestry and linen are the materials used. One little shop in Paris has shown pins with tops of straw or raffa, woven to match the hats with which these novelties are to be worn.

In another milliner's, lace jewels are used to cover the Dresden silk cushion. These are extremely pretty with the tulle turbans and large lacrimated straw.

The Frenchwoman insists upon hatpins that are kept with their respective shapes, and on no occasion will the disks be used to fasten the wrong hat on her head. It is just one more evidence of her attention to the little details that combine to create a harmonious whole.

### A Chic Fashion.

Black and dark silk and satin garters are being worn just now with white daytime dresses.

The gowns are of all sorts, linens, poncees and wools.

The abbreviated little coats or waists are natty affairs.

They are straight across the back, and of any shape just above the waist line that fancy prescribes.

Many of the new ones are pointed at the front, and finished with quaint pinked ruffs, plaited or shirred.

### Fastening at Shoulder.

There has come about a wide return to blouses that fasten across one shoulder or both. In the latter case there is no fastening under the arm. The opening is straight across the top, and the garment goes over the head like a sweater. It is then fastened down each shoulder seam with small loops of braid and crocheted buttons.

IN DOUBT.

Jinks—That chap that wrote a historical novel forged a note. Now he's in jail.

Blinks—What was he convicted for?

### BABY'S SKIN TORTURE

"When our baby was seven weeks old he broke out with what we thought was heat, but which gradually grew worse. We called in a doctor. He said it was eczema and from that time we doctored six months with three of the best doctors in Atchison but he only got worse. His face, head and hands were a solid sore. There was no end to the suffering for him. We had to tie his little hands to keep him from scratching. He never knew what it was to sleep well from the time he took the disease until he was cured. He kept us awake all hours of the night and his health wasn't what you would call good. We tried everything but the right thing.

"Finally I got a set of the Cuticura Remedies and I am pleased to say we did not use all of them until he was cured. We have waited a year and a half to see if it would return but it never has and today his skin is clear and fair as it possibly could be. I hope Cuticura may save some one else's little one suffering and also their pocket-books. John Leason, 1403 Atchison St., Atchison, Kan., Oct. 19, 1909."

National Tuberculosis Sunday. Recent indications point to a general observance of National Tuberculosis Sunday in more than 200,000 churches of the country on April 24. Reports from heads of local anti-tuberculosis associations, health officers, pastors, mayors, governors, and numerous interdenominational bodies show much enthusiasm over the movement. The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis has prepared an outline for a tuberculosis sermon for use on April 24, which will be sent free of charge to any clergyman applying at 105 East Twenty-second street, New York. Thousands of these outlines are being sent out weekly to all parts of the country.

Prominent churchmen, including bishops and heads of all the leading denominations, have expressed their approval of the movement.

Alas. A little five-year-old who had been watching her mother dress for an evening entertainment surprised her mother with the following question: "Mother, didn't you say you were almost 40 years old?"

"Yes," replied the mother.

"Well," answered the little girl, "you don't look it tonight, but you will tomorrow morning."—Judge.

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Those who believe that man descended from the monkey should remember that it's a poor rule that won't work both ways.

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The average woman can bluff almost any man, but when it comes to bluffing some other woman—well, that's another story.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children's teething, soothes and cleanses. Always gives relief. 25c a bottle.

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Constipation causes and seriously aggravates many diseases. It should be cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Try them—guaranteed.

Why does Great Britain buy its oatmeal of us? Certainly it seems like carrying coals to Newcastle to speak of exporting oatmeal to Scotland and yet every year the Quaker Oats Company sends hundreds of thousands of cases of Quaker Scotch Oats to Great Britain and Europe.

The reason is simple; while the English and Scotch have for centuries eaten oatmeal in quantities and with a regularity that has made them the most rugged physically, and active mentally of all people, the American has been a victim of indigestion and the time to improve the methods of manufacture so that he might get that desirable foreign trade.

How well he has succeeded would be seen at a glance at the export reports on Quaker Scotch Oats. This brand is without a rival; is packed in regular packages, and in hermetically sealed tins for hot climates.

Good Work in Denmark. Under legislation enacted in 1905 the Danish government pays three-fourths of the expenses of all poor persons who desire to be treated in tuberculous sanatoria. Then the hospitals under construction are completed Denmark will have one bed in tuberculous hospitals or sanatoria for every 1,200 inhabitants, a fact which will mean that the length of treatment can be considerably extended. In the United States there is one bed for every 4,500 inhabitants.

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Wrong View of Marriage. "There could be less divorce," said ex-Gov. Pennypacker, "if there were fewer men like William Wilde."

"William Wilde came on an excursion steamer for Point Breeze, and a few miles out, as he paced the upper deck and drank in the bracing ozone, he spotted his friend Jackson."

"Why, Jackson, how are ye?" he exclaimed. "Are ye out for pleasure, or is ye wife along?"

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Victim of Cuss. "Ugh!" spluttered Mr. Jones. "That nut had a worm in it!"

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Think all you speak, but speak not all you think.—DeLamere.

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## Extra Special Clothing Bargains

100 Men's \$10.00 and \$11.50 suits, broken lots, 2 and 3 suits of a kind, sale price 4.48  
100 Men's \$15.00, \$16.50 and \$18.50 suits, broken lots, 2 and 3 suits of a kind, sale price 4.48  
Men's \$15.00 pure wool worsted suits, in the new Spring shades, sale price 8.98  
Men's \$16.50 pure wool worsted suits, in the new Spring shades, sale price 11.98  
Men's \$18.50 pure wool worsted suits, in the new Spring shades, sale price 14.98  
Men's \$25.00 pure wool worsted suits, in the new Spring shades, sale price 17.48

75 Boys' \$7.50 long pant suits, broken lots, sale price \$2.98  
Boys' \$7.50 long pant suits in new Spring shades, sale price \$4.98  
Boys' \$10.00 long pant suits, in new Spring shades, sale price \$7.48  
50 Children's \$2.00 knee pant suits, with straight pants, sale price 98c  
50 Children's \$2.75 knee pant suits with straight pants, sale price 1.49  
50 Children's \$3.75 and \$5.00 knee pant suits, with straight pants, sale price 1.98  
Children's \$2.75 knee pant suits, knickerbocker pants, sale price 1.98  
Children's \$4.50 knee pant suits, knickerbocker pants, sale price \$3.48  
Children's \$5.00 knee pant suits, knickerbocker pants, sale price \$4.98  
100 pairs of Boys' long pants, sale price 85c  
100 prs. Men's \$2.00 and \$2.50 odd pants, broken sizes, sale price 98c  
Men's \$2.50 pants in new spring shades, sale price 1.45  
Men's \$2.75 pants in new spring shades, sale price 1.95  
Men's \$3.75 pants, in new spring shades, sale price 2.98  
Men's \$5.00 pants in new spring shades, sale price 4.48  
Prices Reduced on all Men's and Boys' Suits, Men's and Boys' odd Pants, whether advertised or not  
\$1.50 suit cases, sale price 98c  
\$2.50 suit cases, sale price 1.95  
Reduced prices on all Trunks

## Extra Special Shoe Bargains

Men's \$1.50 fine satin calf shoes, sale price 1.00 pr, a bargain  
One lot of Men's \$2.50 fine viol kid shoes, broken sizes, sale price 1.48  
One lot of Men's Douglart shoes and Oxfords in pat. and tan, broken sizes, sale price 1.98  
Men's \$2.75 fine pat. leather shoes, sale price 1.98  
Men's \$2.75 Oxfords in pat. leather and tan, sale price 1.98  
Boy's \$1.50 fine viol kid shoes, sizes 12 to 2, sale price 1.25  
Boy's \$1.75 fine viol kid shoes, sizes 3 1/2 to 6 1/2, sale price 1.45  
Boy's \$2.00 fine viol kid shoes, sizes 6 to 10, sale price 1.40  
Ladies' \$1.50 fine viol kid shoes, blucher style, sale price 1.00  
Ladies' \$1.50 fine viol kid shoes plain toe, sale price .98c  
Ladies' \$1.75 fine viol kid shoes, blucher style, sale price 1.45

Ladies' \$2.75 fine viol kid shoes, blucher style, sale price 1.98  
Ladies' \$1.50 fine viol kid oxfords, pat. tip, sale price 98c  
Ladies' \$1.50 fine viol kid oxfords, plain toe, sale price 98c  
Ladies' \$2.00 pat. pumps, sale price 1.50  
Ladies' \$1.75 tan pumps, sale price 1.45  
Ladies' \$2.75 tan pumps, sale price 1.95  
Ladies' nice patent leather shoes, sale price 1.45  
50 pair Ladies' \$5.00 and \$5.50 fine viol kid shoes, blucher style, sale price 4.48

## Small Wear Under-priced

San Silk, per spool 3c  
Brass Pins, per paper 3c  
Pearl Buttons, per dozen 3c  
Adamantine Pins, per paper 1c  
Hair Pins, per box 3c  
Hair Pins, per bunch 1c  
Cost and Profit Have Been Ignored in Many Instances in This Great Sale, As I Offer Much Merchandise at Half its Actual Value.  
Torchon Lace, regular price 5c, sale price 3c  
Torchon Lace, regular price 7 1/2c, sale price 3c  
90c white Counterpanes, while they last, sale price 50c  
150 white Counterpanes, extra large, sale price 80c, a bargain  
150 white Counterpanes extra large sale price to close stock on hand, 50c  
\$2.00 white Counterpanes, fringed, out corners, sale price 1.45  
A nice lot of 10c Embroideries, sale price 5c  
15c Embroideries, sale price 7 1-2c  
15c Embroideries, sale price 10c  
50c Flourings, 27 inch wide, sale price 35c  
Book fold India Linens, 5c  
15c book fold India Linen, per yard 10c  
25c book fold India Linen, per yard 15c  
7 bales cotton batting, cheap at 71-3c roll, sale price 50c roll  
Much Merchandise Not Advertised Will Have the Red Tag on it, Which Will Denote Big Reductions.

I would like to give you prices on everything, but haven't the room to do so. Suffice to say this sale will be universal. Loom end prices throughout my entire stock. So don't wait until the last day, and then expect to find an unbroken assortment and a full variety of styles, as many of the assortments are not so large that they will last during the entire sale. Probably the very article you want will go the first day, so come the first day, every day. Surely you will not be disappointed if you come, as I double the purchasing power of a dollar during this great sale. Fresh loom end goods placed on counters each morning of sale. All loom end goods and all goods sold at loom end prices positively cash. Sale begins Saturday, April 9, and closes Saturday, April 23. Remember the place.

Madisonville

E. J. ASHBY

Kentucky



TWENTY-FIRST YEAR

EARLINGTON, HOPKINS COUNTY, KY., THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 1910

No. 14

**Used the World over**

No other article of human food has ever received such emphatic commendation for purity, usefulness and wholesomeness from the most eminent authorities.



**ROYAL BAKING POWDER**

Royal has always received the highest award when exhibited or tested in competition

## Mortons Gap News.

The contractors have been making the dirt fly for the last few weeks.

Quite a number of men and teams are busily engaged hauling ties for the new railroad.

Mr. W. G. Hyars, the resident engineer, has just returned from a trip to Eastern Kentucky.

Bring your prescriptions to the St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, drug department, Mortons Gap, Ky. Nothing but first class articles used.

Last Monday night there was a meeting at the opera house for the purpose of taking steps to secure the erection of a school building at this place.

Call at St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, drug department, Mortons Gap, for anything in sewing machine repairs. Also for a first class machine oil.

The recent rains have been enjoyed by everybody. March will go down on record as being the driest March ever known. The prospects for a fine crop year are splendid.

"Cherley's Aunt" was put on the boards March 31 and was heartily enjoyed by all present. It was pronounced by everybody as being the best show of the season. We understand that it is the intention to put the same play on at White Plains in the near future.

Mr. J. B. Morton died last Saturday morning and was buried at Adam church. Mr. Morton was about 55 years old and had been in the employ of the St. Bernard Mining Co. as a salesman in their store for the past six years. He was a man who had friends by the score who are left to mourn his departure. He was honest and upright in all his dealings and generous to a fault. His wife died several years ago. He left an only child, the wife of our town man, John T. Davis.

Kentucky is one of the richest states in the union in point of natural resources. We are far down in the scale on education. Hopkins county ranks well towards the front in wealth. What are we doing for our children here in Mortons Gap?

Practically nothing. The most of us think that because we have gotten along in a way without any education our children can do likewise. How can we expect our children to keep pace with those communities where they have the best of school advantages? They can not do it. Our people are sleeping. We trust that some day they will wake up. We certainly need a school building. Our present building is a disgrace to the county and town. We have the poorest facilities for a school of any town in the county, and almost, we imagine, in the State. We have over 250 children in our district and they have been crowded up in two little ramshackle rooms with no advantages whatever. Many progressive farmers would hesitate to put their stock in such a place. We trust the people of Mortons Gap will wake up on the school question and make a fight for better educational advantages.

**Saved From the Grave.**

"I had about given up hope, after nearly four years of suffering from a severe lung trouble," writes Mrs. M. D. of Clarksville, Tenn. "Often the pain in my chest would be almost unbearable and I could not do any work, but Dr. King's New Discovery has made me feel like a new person. It's the best medicine made for the throat and lung." Obsolete coughs, stubborn colds, hay fever, la grippe, asthma, croup, bronchitis and hemorrhages, hoarseness and whooping cough yield quickly to this wonderful medicine. Try it. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

**Brasil's Leading Experts.**

The nine leading articles of export from Brasil are coffee, rubber, tobacco, sugar, mate, cacao, cotton, hides, skins.

**A Knocker**

Is a man who can't see good in any person or thing. It's a habit caused by a disordered liver. If you find that you are bristling to see things through blue spectacles, treat your liver in a good cleansing oil, procure with Ballard's Herbine. A sure cure for constipation, dyspepsia, indigestion, sick headache, biliousness, all liver, stomach and bowel troubles. Sold by St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, drug department.

**Waterproof Asbestos.**

According to a German publication, a firm in Munich has succeeded in artificially rendering asbestos waterproof.

## THE - BEST - TELEPHONE - SERVICE

**LOOK HERE, MR. FARMER!**

Now that the Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Company, Incorporated, is offering to you an ideal proposition for telephone service. Using our service you have advantages of long distance connection to any point in the United States. The advantages of a telephone service in your residence are too numerous to mention, but among them would be daily communication with the market, obtaining prices, getting accurate reports on the weather, calling up your neighbors, friends and relatives. All these advantages and pleasures are more than worth the price we would pay for the same facilities. Literature and information furnished by calling on our manager, Fred Dixon.

**CUMBERLAND TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO., Incorporated**

**B. M. SLATON**  
MADISONVILLE, KY.

Makes a specialty of **UNDERTAKING**. Nice new hearse, rubber tired. New stock. All calls answered day or night.

NEXT DOOR TO POST OFFICE, MASONIC BUILDING

**Powerful Wireless Apparatus.**

The wireless apparatus on the Commodore Lincoln is the most powerful of any in steamship service, having a radius of 1,200 miles.

Your tongue is coated. Your breath is foul. Headaches come and go. These symptoms show that your stomach is the trouble. To remove the cause is the first thing, and Liver Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will do that. Easy to take and most effective.

**Liberia's Coffee Production.**

In Liberia coffee trees attain a height of more than 30 feet. The price at the product is eight and nine cents a pound at the plantation.

**Notice, Poultry Raisers.**

Now is the time of year to feed your fowls a good tonic. It—11—4 cures Cholera, Roup, Gapes, Canker and Linberneck. When fed as a preventive it not only keeps them healthy, but makes them lay. Price 50c—No Cure, No Pay. Guaranteed by our druggist, St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, Drug Department, Earlinton, Ky. Gardiner & Bowman, Madisonville, Ky. Try it under the guarantee. Ask for booklet on diseases of poultry. 11—6mo.

**When the Telephone Was New.**

One of the first telephone exchanges in this country was opened in New Haven in 1878.

"Generally debilitated for years, the sick headache, locked ambition, was worn out and run down. Burdock Blood Purifiers made me well again." Mrs. Chas. Fisher, Meigsport, Conn.

**A Cure.**

"Medicine," said a little girl, "is something that makes you careful not to catch cold again."—Universalist Leader.

**A Baby show in Earlinton.**

would have many contestants; but it's safe to say that the heartiest to be would win the prize. No baby can be healthy who suffers from worms and most babies do unless they are kept free from them with White's Cream Vermifuge. Acts quickly, yet mildly—its own pure nature. Mothers, don't attempt to raise children without White's Cream Vermifuge. Price 25c. Sold by St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, drug department.

**Electricity and Labor.**

An electric driver, screwdriver, an electric portable hammer and an electric window washer have been invented.

**Another Beat Salar.**

Perhaps the glided New Yorker who is writing a gossip book about the pastimes of the idle rich expects to make a fortune out of the first suppressed edition.—St. Louis Star.

**The Demon of the Air**

Is the germ of la grippe that, breathed in, brings suffering to thousands. Its after effects are weakness, nervousness, lack of appetite, energy and ambition, with disordered liver and kidneys. The greatest need then is Electric Bitters, the splendid tonic, blood purifier and regulator of stomach, liver and kidneys. Thousands have proved that they wonderfully strengthen the nerves, build up the system and restore health and good spirits after an attack of grip. If suffering, try them. Only 50c. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed by all druggists.

**So It Is.**

Strother was just four years old when one day he came to me and said, "Mother, I know what a dream is. It is what the pillow tells you while you are asleep."—The Delineator.

**1-4 of Pound a Week**

at least, is what a young baby ought to gain in weight. Does yours? If not there's something wrong with its digestion. Give it McEwen's Baby Elixir and it will begin gaining at once. Cries, stomach and bowel troubles, aids digestion, stops fretfulness, good for teething babies. Price 25c and 50c. Sold by St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, drug department.

**Physical Religion.**

To keep up a nice balance of work and wear, and to come out a little ahead each day, is a good religion. No man has any right to wear himself out.—Dr. Kellogg.

Prompt relief in all cases of throat and lung trouble if you use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Please try it, to take, soothing and healing in effect.

Sold by Jno. X. Taylor.

**Courage and Truth.**

Without courage there cannot be truth, and without truth there can be no other virtue.—Scott.

**Althous' Feet heavy after dinner? Tongue coated? Bitter taste? Complexion sallow? Liver needs waking up. Doan's Regulator cures bilious attacks. Try at any drug store.**

**Old American Church.**

A building which, it is believed, holds the record in this country by antiquity as a Presbyterian church is still standing at Southampton, Long Island. Its erection was begun in 1700 and it was dedicated as a church in 1708.

**Diarrhoea should be cured without loss of time and by medicine which like Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy not only cures promptly but produces no unpleasant after effects. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take.**

Sold by Jno. X. Taylor.

**Their Own Race the Enemy.**

It has been found in Nova Scotia that the lobster's chief enemy is the dogfish but the lobster.

**Worse Than Bullets**

Bullets have often caused less suffering to soldiers than the eczema L. W. Hartman, Burlington, Me., got in the army and suffered with 40 years. "But Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me when all else failed," he writes. Greatest healer for sores, ulcers, boils, burns, cuts, wounds, bruises and piles. 25c at all druggists.

**First English Sunday Newspaper.**

England's first Sunday newspaper appeared in 1750.

**Painers, mechanics, millwrights, laborers may use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Takes the place of cuts, burns or bruises at once. Pain ceases, stay where it is used.**

**Inveterate.**

He—"Are you unmarried?" She—"Oh, yes! lots of times."—Town Topics.

**KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS**

**WITH DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY**

**FOR COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES**

**GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY OR MONEY REFUNDED.**

# LOOK - HERE

You are given the Greatest Money Saving Opportunity ever known in this city

## Morton & Hall Dissolution Sale

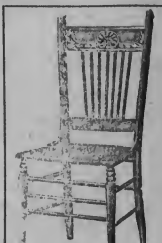
EVERYTHING FOR CASH - NO MONEY REFUNDED



G. E. O. O. Bush Dining, was \$10.00  
Now \$6.75 for \$x  
Only a few more left



This Davenport Bed, Golden Oak Finish, Covered in Best Grade Chase Leather, Former Price \$25.00, Now \$19.00



All Oak Chair, wood or oyster seat, was \$1.00  
84 CENTS EACH



Folding Go-Cart, was \$2.00  
\$1.65



Oak Cett-table 75c

**Carpets  
Mattings  
and Rugs**

**A Large Line of  
LACE CURTAINS  
DRAPERIES  
and  
WINDOW  
SHADES**



You can have this \$8.00 Cart now for \$4.50

**Funeral Directors and  
Licensed Embalmers**  
Any Call Answered Promptly, Day or Night

## Custom Plowing

## New Industry in Western Farm Country

By G. WELLESLEY BRABBIT



NEW INDUSTRY, that of power plowing, has sprung up in the west and northwest within the last decade.

When the Dakotas, Montana, Canada and parts of Texas were opened to agriculture the farms were so large that horses could not supply the motive power necessary for the plowing of the great land tracts. Traction engines were substituted and they dragged the plows over the vast stretches of land. Thus power plowing had its beginning. From this, too, sprung custom plowing, an occupation now numbering many hundreds of men with an invested capital of several millions. These men do not own the farms upon which they work, but plow them with their especially made outfits for so much per acre.

An up-to-date outfit or rig costs \$4,000 and consists of a 20 or 30 horsepower traction engine and a series of plows, usually in groups of 10, 12 or 14, called "bottoms." They are rated as 10, 12 or 14 bottom gang, according to their number, are attached to an angling platform on wheels and arranged in pairs diagonally along the back, with each pair slightly in advance of the other. Levers are attached to all, so that they may be raised or lowered at discretion. When going from one field to another the plows are elevated. With this outfit the engineer or owner goes forth and breaks up the soil at from \$3 to \$5 per acre, according to the character of the land. If it be new, more is charged; if old, less. The farmer in both cases furnishes the coal.

In appearance the traction engine resembles the ordinary one seen during the threshing season in Illinois, only it is larger, with exaggerated back wheels. They travel at the rate of two miles per hour over even ground and can turn under 25 to 30 acres daily. From five to seven inches is the depth of the furrow.

The cost of running one of these plowing outfits per day is as follows: Man to steer, \$1.50; water hauler, \$1; board, \$3; feed for one horse, 50 cents; sharpening plows, \$2.50; oil, \$1. About \$6 worth of coal is burned.

The good custom plower is bringing up the standards of his craft. Having full knowledge that old world plowing methods are superior to those on this side of the water and realizing that the American farmer often sacrifices quality for quantity, he has set about to reduce plowing to European standards and has for the most part produced satisfactory results. With his steam engine he can secure quantity; with practical knowledge he obtains quality.

There are breakers ahead of him, though, that will give him worry unless he bestirs himself at once to avoid the trouble; and that is price cutting. Owing to its extreme youth the occupation has no organization to speak of; no power to maintain a standard wage for plowing, and the result has been a lowering of wages until now in some portions of the west no money is made at all by it. The farmer is glad and willing to pay as high as \$5 an acre for breaking his land and why less than this should be asked is a mystery. Threshermen's trade papers, conventions and meetings will change this and if worked out in time the breakers may be avoided.



Custom plowing does not last the year around, though, but that matters little. For by simply unshipping the gang plow from the tractor the latter may be used for threshing, road working, and in the winter time for hauling. In Iowa, for instance, it hauls corn for miles from crib to elevators and from the country to railroad points. In fact there is employment to be found all the time, and where there is nothing else to do lumber may be cut.

## Yankees Learn Value of Printers' Ink

By JULES LATOUR of Montreal

There is no nation that has begun to develop the business of advertising as have the Americans. The art of advertising has been carried to a pitch in the United States that puts it in a class by itself. I happen to know that it is a rare thing for any of the big mercantile houses of France or the continent to spend as much as \$10,000 a year on the newspapers. They have not learned the value of printer's ink as have the Yankees. Some of our merchant princes will expend on a single issue in telling the public of their wares as much as our leading establishments will pay out in three months. Not only do our storekeepers use the press on a big scale, but their way of telling the reader about their goods is the most plausible, the most delightful, the most winning thing in the line of literary coaxing imaginable and I can well see how such efforts attract customers by the thousand.

During my stay here I have become fascinated with the advertisements seen in your daily newspapers and I read them with unalloyed delight, merely as a study in an art in which you have exceeded the entire world.

## Lack of Farmers Becoming Menace

By MRS. S. H. RANDOLPH

At a convention held not long since in Chicago it was urged that the increasing lack of farmers now assumes the proportions of a menace to the United States. Here is one small solution which will work out properly: There are many home-supporting women in the cities and towns of this country who are working their lives out for a mere pittance, widows with families to rear but who are compelled to let their children run the streets without a mother's care, and wives, daughters and sisters who are sole supporters of families. Many of these long for homes on a farm, but have not the means. However, the federal government, or even the rich corporations, who have such lands could advance the use of a few acres to such as are worthy, adding to this in each case a small house, furnishings, food, fuel, seed, agricultural implements and even a small sum of money, if needed, all this fully covered by an honest mortgage. If this were done there would be very few foreclosures and many good farms and farmers added to the credit of this country.

## Speech Vulgar and Profane

HERE is no need of going to Webster for the definition of a cigarette. Every body knows it is a little cigar. It is a bit of tobacco rolled up in a bit of paper, and made to look both attractive and harmless. It is a cigar in its infancy. In time, if the one who indulges in cigarette smoking lives long enough, it will grow into a cigar. But the weed done up in the fine style of a cigarette is not thought to be quite so offensive and vulgar as when employed in the form of a pure Havana or a big black Connecticut, or a clay pipe. It is tobacco all the same, whether held together by a leaf from its own stem, or wrapped up in curl papers, or crammed into the bowl of a meerschaum. For obvious reasons it is the cigarette that is most affected by ladies.

However, it is not with cigarette smoking that we are now concerned, but with cigarette swearing. For there is a kind of profanity which bears the same relation to the coarser sort of taking the name of the Lord in vain that the tempering little cigarette does to the full grown cigar. This, too, is the form of swearing which is most indulged in by the fair sex. It is not often, fortunately, that one hears a round, plump oath from the lips of a woman. When one does, it is unutterably shocking, especially if it be from the lips of a woman in the midst of her children.

### "Polite" Profanity.

But profanity akin to this loud-mouthed and repulsive type, and which suggests a very strong inclination to use the more emphatic words, were it allowable to do so, is not so common in the conversation of large numbers of our well-meaning and even cultivated ladies. At every turn of surprise in the talk that is going on, on every little occasion when there seems to be a call for protest, it is "Good Lord!" "Good heavens!" "My gracious!" and so on through the list. Sometimes there is more boldness in the expletive employed, and on some occasions on sections are not so wisely denounced as a "bank idiot." Every one who hears the expression knows exactly what the speaker wishes to say, and the intended substitute does not much relieve the situation, nor does the smile which goes round in the circle of listeners do much toward atoning for the suggested blasphemy.

### Habit a Vicious One.

Now there is no need here of wandering off into wide ethical discussions, and trying to fix the precise measure of the comparative measure of guilt in God's sight which there may be in this or that or the other form of profanity. It is enough to say that the cigarette habit of swearing is not good. It is a mild type of profanity; and because it is mild is more frequently put in evidence by women than men; but it is not good. It is an offense to a refined taste. It is a debasement of language, and tends all the time to reduce one's vocabulary of choice and appropriate words. It lowers the mental tone of individuals and circles and under the delusive guise of vivacity reduces thought to the cheap quality of a bargain counter. The atmosphere of a home which is filled with these explosives is not a wholesome one for children to breathe. It is bad anywhere and everywhere. It is impossible to believe that a disciple of our Lord can be quite so spiritually minded, can live in quite so close and vital a relationship with him who made that startling deliverance about our responsibility for even the idle words that we say, and be quite so much like him in mind and aim and character, if there is no restraint of the kind of speech which savors, even in a mild degree, of our desire. If one cannot express one's opinion, and say one's say, whether man or woman, without swearing, or so much as indicating a desire to swear, it is better to remain silent—Northwestern Christian Advocate.

### Answers to Prayer.

The answer to prayer is most prayers—begins on two sides—God's and our own. We must be willing to work toward it and sacrifice for it, and the sacrifice is sometimes so heavy that we shrink back. If we ask for health, for education, for prosperity, we know that we must work in the direction of our desire. If we ask for spiritual gifts we realize that the same is true, but too often when we plead for some special blessing for those we love, for the lifting of a burden from their lives or ours, for some charge that holds good and happiness, we forget that their granting will surely claim from us some price of sacrifice or renunciation. Whatever our prayer, we needs must have a share in its answering—not because of the Father's unwillingness, but because of his love that knows us through and through.

When a man's heart is drying up in the desert of conceit he tries to comfort himself by looking at the size of his head.

Unless a man makes the most of his opportunities he can't expect his opportunities to make the most of him.

## RESCUED FROM DEATH ON A RAFT OF ICE

NEW YORK MAN FLOATING OUT TO SEA WHEN FEEBLE CRIES ATTRACT ATTENTION.

New York—Feeble cries for help that seemed to come from far out on the East river were heard early one morning recently by employees of the municipal ferry at the battery from a partially frozen man lying helpless a considerable distance off shore on a large ice floe on which he had floated for several hours. For ten minutes the men were unable to see the man, who, they believed, was swimming toward the shore. They called out, but in response again heard only his faint cries for help. At that instant the tide carried a number of ice floes across the mouth of the river, and the men's form was discovered.

Frank Dugan of 1311 Bristol street



The Man Was Found Lying on His Back.

and Patrick McGann, of 146 West thirty-first street, and several other employees launched a lifeboat from the ferry slip.

The man was found lying on his back. One leg extended over the ice floe and was dragging in the water. His clothes were frozen to the ice. His hair was covered with ice and his body was rigid from the cold. They lifted him off the floe after a great deal of difficulty and took him aboard.

In the hospital he said he was William Wiseman, 42 years old, and that he lived at 216 East Forty-first street. On account of his condition it was hard to get a coherent statement from him.

He said he fell from a dock, but he could not tell whether it was near the foot of the street where he lives or at the immediate vicinity.

He struggled to get to the shore, but the tide carried him out to midstream. His shoes and clothes made it difficult for him to swim. He remembers seeing the lights of what he believes were the Williamsburg and the Brooklyn bridges.

### Wood Seasoned By Electricity.

In France a method of seasoning wood through the agency of electricity is credited with much success. It is called the Nodon-Brotton process. The timber is nearly immersed in a tank of water containing ten per cent. of borax, five per cent. of soda, and a little amount of soda, and rests on a lead plate connected with the positive pole of a dynamo. Another similar plate, lying on the exposed surface of the timber, is connected with the negative pole. Thus a current of electricity can be passed through the wood, from which all the sap appears to be removed while the borax and soda take its place in the pores. In a few hours the timber is taken out and dried and the seasoning is said to be complete.

### Luxury.

Though luxury is something which only fools go in for, the incidental crumbs thereof are what feed the multitude. It is proof that Providence doesn't wish the multitude to go hungry when fools with a knack for making money keep on being born. If all men were wise, and luxury therefore a thing unknown, we might still be fed, after a fashion, but the sum total of happiness would be lessened while the world and its inhabitants would be happier except those few who have been permitted, by trial, to discover what a poor thing luxury is, while the rest of us, having nobody to envy, would be miserable—Puck.

### An Eight-Pound Square Tail Trout.

The largest square tail trout ever taken from Minnesota waters has just been hooked by a party of winter fishermen near Tomhegan stream, a little north of Klineo. It was taken by Crawford Robinson, one of the best known guides in the Maine woods, and tipped the scales at eight pounds two ounces and measured nearly twenty-two inches in length.—Klineo correspondence Boston Herald.

### Two Ways of Saying It.

"When I am to consider myself rejected," asked the young author, "You are to consider your offer of marriage returned with thanks and the regret that it is impossible at this time to accept the same."—The courtesy of the magazine editor.—St. Louis Star.

## GATHERED SMILES

### DRAWING INFERENCES.

President Lincoln once told the following story to D. H. Bates, manager of the war department telegraph office:

"It was like an old colored man I knew. He spent so much of his time preaching to the other slaves it kept him and them from their labors. His master told him he would punish him the next time he was caught preaching."

"But, marse," said the old man, with tears in his eyes, "I always has to do with inferences from Bible texts when day comes in my hand. I 'se' can't help it. Can you, marse?" "Well," said his master, "I suspect I do something like that myself. But there is one text I never could understand, and if you can draw the right inference from it I'll let you preach to your hearer's content."

"What is de text, marse?" asked the colored man. "The ass snuffeth up the east wind." Now what inference do you draw from that?"

"Well, marse, I 's never heard dat text befo' now, but I 'spects de inference an' she got to snuff a long time befo' she get fat."

### His Secret.

"I don't see how you make your butter," Brown said to the modern farmer. "I've been around your farm for a week and I haven't seen a sign of a churn."

He laughed pleasantly, partly because of Brown's stupidity and partly because of his success in keeping his method a mystery. "Oh, my scheme is a cinch," he explained. "All I have to do is to take a five-mile trip along the roughest road on my motorcycle with a bucket of cream strapped on behind."

### Natural Born Peasant.

A Denver man says he was standing on the platform of a small town railroad station not very far from this city recently when a youth from a country came up and began gazing at the train report blackboard. On the board was written:

"All trains on time Sept. 1." After studying the board a couple of minutes, the young man turned around, saying: "All trains on time, 'cept one," he said. "I'll bet that there one is the very one I have come here to meet."

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### RURAL JOY RIDES.

Joy riding! Huh! These city chaps are boasting all the while of whizzing in a motor car with city gas in style. They let their steam whistles shriek until they almost starve. And flashing by like comet tails they never give the pleasure or to me seem quite so nice. As I ride the farm boys have along with Bish or Sue. Down the old road by moonlight in a horse sleigh built for two.

### IN POLITICS.



The Congressman—Can you recommend me to a good political carpenter? The Senator—Political carpenter! What do you want done? The Congressman—I want to nail some campaign lies.

### Waiting.

Though the wind may shake the shutters And the days bring rain or rain, 'Till the Juno bug comes again.

### The Stand She Would Take.

Rodrick—Yes, the lady orator is one of the most staid, unemotional looking women I ever met. Why, I believe if there was an earthquake she would be standing in the same place after it was over.

Van Albert—That's ridiculous. What would she be standing on?

Rodrick—Why, if there was nothing else to stand on she would stand on her dignity.

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# When a Rhinoceros Tosses You

By W. COTTON OSWELL

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On a morning I was returning to camp with a number of Kafra, tired and hungry after a long day's sporting elephants, which we never overtook. I saw a long-horned rhinoceros standing close to the path. The length of his horn, and the hunger of my men, induced me to get off and fire at him. The shot was rather too high, and he ran off. I was in the saddle in a moment and, passing the wounded bear, pulled up ten yards on the side of the line of his retreat, firing the second barrel as he went by from my horse, when, instead of continuing his course, he stopped short and, pausing an instant, began to walk deliberately towards me. This movement was so utterly unlooked for, as the white rhinoceros nearly always makes off, that until he was within five yards, I sat quite still, expecting him to fall, thinking he was in his "furry."

My horse seemed much surprised at the behavior of the old mahabo as I was myself, and did not immediately answer the rein, and the moment's hesitation cost him his life. I saw the very best horse I ever had or knew for when I put his head round a thick bush was against his chest and before I could fire him the rhinoceros, still at the walk, drove his horn in under his flank and fairly threw both him and his rider into the air. As he turned over I rolled off and fell in some way under the stirrup-iron, which scalped my head for four inches in length and breadth. I scrambled to my knees and saw the horn of the rhinoceros actually within the bend of my leg, but the animal wavered and, with the energy of self-preservation, I sprang to my feet, intending to run, for my gun was unloaded and had no shot left. Had I been allowed to do so, this story might have never been told, for, dizzy as I was from the fall, I should have been easily caught.

He passed within a foot without touching me. As I rose for the second time my afterider came up with another gun. I half turned to look at the pony and, mounting it, caught and killed the rhinoceros. The horn now hangs over the entrance of my door.

That day a companion of mine was hunting in the same direction as myself and, hearing the reports of my gun, hoped I might have come up with the elephants I had shot. He arrived the morning. He found me sitting under a bush, dead, and holding up the piece of my scalp, with the blood streaming down my face. He was afterwards described it to Livingston: "I saw that beggar, Oswell, sitting under a bush holding on his head." A few words told him what had happened, and then my thoughts turned to Siegf, my horse. That very morning, as I left the wagons, I had talked to him affectionately, as a man can talk to a good horse, telling him how, when the hunting was over, I would make him fat and happy, and I had played with him and with him. It was a very sore heart I put a ball through his head, took the saddle from his back and started wagonwards, walking half the distance (ten miles) and making my afterider do likewise. Unless a man was situated as I was then, it is difficult to make him understand all that the loss of a horse means. You cannot even fill up his place in quantity, let alone quality. In this part of Africa, at all events, your success depends enormously upon a good horse, for the country is generally too open for stalking, and he carries you up to your game, in most instances, as near as you like, and it is only if you do not succeed, Had I been the best shot that ever looked along a rifle, and made of steel, I could have done but a trifle without horses, in comparison with what I accomplished with them. Armed as I was with a smooth-bore, not very true, with heavy charges at over 30 yards, it was a costly to get as near my game as possible. I am not vain of my shooting—I can do what I intend pretty well for ten to twenty-five yards, but the world would have given the best shot in the world without horses very long odds; besides, from the saddle you see so much more at your ease, and with attention for everything that surrounds you is so much more free.

The horses were unshod and sure-footed. Introduce them, possibly, gradually to their work by letting your afterider use them a few times. He is always out of danger, and if once accustomed to the sight of an animal at a respectable distance, they can soon be driven up alongside of it, and get as eager in pursuit of elephant and large game as their riders. By neglecting this rule, I very nearly came to grief on an afterwards capt pony. It was his debut, and a wounded elephant, charging with a scream, so terrific that he was paralyzed with fear and stood stock still after turning round; spurs had no effect, and how we escaped I cannot now tell. The bull drove within a few feet of his tail and then wheeled. I can only suppose he got the scent of the human being, for he was quite near enough to have swept me from the saddle of the tribe who had gone into the colony for work having learned to ride. One day it was three in the afternoon. We had followed a herd of elephants since 8 a. m., and the traces of the dew of the previous night were still visible on the trail. Our chances of coming up with them were so small that we abandoned the pursuit and turned in the direction of the wagons. After an hour or two the natives began to make pathetic appeals as to the state of their stomachs, suggesting that they had met with hard usage, and that, as we had not found the elephants, they were not above breaking their fast upon quagga, giraffe, or even rhinoceros. I tried to persuade them that elephant was the only dish worthy of them or likely to fill these almost bottomless cavities to which they had alighted; that we might have better luck the next day, and that they might put off dining till then. If you wish to be successful in hunting for large tusks it is as well to keep your men on an elephant diet and not pamper them with delicacies, or they become lazy and careless in seeking the larger game. Whether on this particular occasion I was unusually tender-hearted, or their appeals were too touching, I do not remember; but whilst, with my very poor stock of Bechuanaland words, I was trying to explain my views, in an open glade of the forest through which we were passing, their hungry eyes fell upon two rhinoceroses of the ketios variety, and the eager cry of "Ugh, chatura, myra"—the word meaning corruption of the Dutch myner, lengthened plaintively into a kind of prayer was too much for me, and I discontinued to do their pleasure. Fifty yards before the animals ran a scanty fringe of dwarf thorn bushes, on either side of which they were feeding away from us. I made a long detour and came out a hundred yards in front of them, the little scrubby cover lying between us. A handful of and thrown into the air gave the direction of the

The day was fast drawing to a close when, though in that added state which prevents a man from deciding whether to-day is yesterday or to-morrow, my brain seemed stirring again in a thick fog. By degrees I became aware that I was on my horse, that a native was leading it, and another carrying my gun beside my stirrup. It all appeared strange, but with the attempt to think it out the mist came eddying thicker, and I was content to let it be. Presently a dim confused impression that I was following some animal was with me, as in a dream; the power of framing and articulating a sentence returned, and I drowsily asked the nearest Kafra which way the trail led. He pointed in the direction we were going; his manner struck me, but I had had my say, and no other remark was ready. Men met us, among them I recognised two of my Hottentot drivers carrying a "cart," or cane frame, which served as a swinging bedstead in my wagon. Where are you going? I asked in Dutch. They stared stupidly. "Why we heard you were killed by a rhinoceros," "No," I answered. Without a thought of what had occurred my right hand felt fairly from the scummet of my saddle to my thigh, with the restlessness of weakness I drew it up again; a red splash of blood upon my cuff caught my eye, I raised my arm to see what was the matter; finding no wound on it, I sought with my hand for it down my leg, through a rent in my trousers, and so unobtrusively all sensation, that I actually dabbed down to the bone in a deep gash, eight inches long, without feeling any pain—the smaller horn had penetrated a foot higher up, but the wound was not so serious as the lower one. The limb stiffened after I reached the wagons and, unable to get in and out, I made my bed for nearly four weeks under a bush—the leg, healing rapidly, covered with a rag kept constantly wet. The rhinoceros, as an afterthought

## IN BATTLE WITH A GRIZZLY BEAR

BRUIN, WITH BULLET IN HEART, GIVES SCOTCHMAN TERRIBLE FIGHT.

### VICTIM HAS A CLOSE CALL

In Clutch of Brute When Bear Falls Dead—Survives After Being Terribly Wounded and Suffers Long Time.

Victoria, B. C.—Of the many battles that have been waged between man and the grizzly bear, none was ever more exciting or came closer to death for the man than that fought recently by James M. Christie, who has come to Victoria a few days ago for surgical assistance.

Christie and the bear locked in close conflict for but a few seconds. Then the brute dropped dead and Christie was hurled into the bushes, crushed, maimed and blood drenched, while the snow for yards around was crimson with the blood of the combatants.

Christie had tracked the bear several miles to punish him for robbing a cache of moose meat. He had just fired a shot at a wolf from his rifle and found that the sights needed adjustment. Luckily he fixed them at once, for within five minutes he heard the crackle of the brushwood and saw the beast that walks like a man. That bear will never attack a man in very well in theory; grizzlies are exceptions. This bear came for Christie on the run and the hunter had barely time to swing his rifle and pull trigger with a snap aim for the heart, the brute being less than thirty yards away. The first shot caught the grizzly through the heart and lung, but failed to stop him; a second hit the animal in the head. Christie shed his snowshoes and tried to dodge into the bushes.

Then came the bear's innings. The brush was too thick for the man, but the bear tramped it down like reeds and pushed forward, roaring and grunting in characteristic grizzly fashion. As Christie fell in an attempt to dodge, the bear clapped its immense paw on the man's head and began tearing at his face and body. The bear gave a vicious snap and Christie felt the teeth about his neck. In desperation the man threw up his right arm and fate decreed that he should thrust it into the open jaws of the bear. Christie forced back with all his ebullient strength. His effort was coincident with the coming of death to the bear. Its jaws reached and Christie half fell, half crawled away.

His two cheeks were torn from the ears to the mouth, he had a double fracture of the skull, his cheek bones were broken and his jaw fell against his breast. His scalp was cut through his abundant hair. His lower jaw bone also was fractured and his right arm broken. Eight or ten cuts on the body counted as minor incidents. The blood poured from Christie's wounds in streams. He swathed himself in a sack and hasty manner, lay home without his snowshoes, following the ice on the river, as he could not see. There were eight inches of snow on the ground. The journey was seven miles and with every foot of the journey marked by the blood of the man, Christie showed courage. All the way he had to use one hand to hold up his jaw. He hoped on arrival at the cabin to find his partner, George Crisfield, at home, but Crisfield was not out on a line of traps and did not return for hours, and the desperately wounded man had to build a fire and attend to his own injuries as best he could. On Crisfield's return every crude means was taken to make Christie comfortable, but they had neither medicine nor antiseptics.

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## KNIFING RATTLESNAKES IS DANGEROUS PASTIME

DICK HAYNES HAS A CLOSE CALL, SO WILL USE A "44" HEREAFTER.

Denver, Col.—"Dick Haynes was a round daredevil who would go out of his way to play with a rattler," said an old plainsman. "I have seen him kill at least a dozen with a knife, and I saw him when he got such a close call that he dropped the game and used a gun forever after. We were out together one Sunday. It was warm, and as we rode he fanned his face with his comb. Suddenly he clapped his hat on his head and started his horse on a lope. 'Watch me get that snake,' he shouted.

"Fifty yards to our right was a rattler. It was trying to get away, but we headed it in an instant and were off our horses. It immediately coiled and then I saw the biggest snake I ever seen. It was a diamond rattler, at least.

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To Study European Conditions. Miss Juliet Pointe, who has just won the \$15,000 scholarship established by the General Federation of Women's clubs and providing for two years study in England, will sail in June for Europe. She will spend the summer on the Continent, going to England in time to enter the University of London.

Two Tennessee draftsmen have patented a magnetic separator, which is held against the iron round edge of a drawing board by an electro magnet in its head. A switch cuts off the current and allows it to be moved.



"I WAS SAILING THROUGH THE AIR."

ceptually tough beast. Whilst at "Oologs Port," a farm then in the occupation of a Mr. Nelson, I was buying mules when a Hottentot riding a neat, round-rimmed bay, came in with a return letter from the town of Cradock, as far as I remember, 70 miles distant. The horse's appearance pleased me much, and though I found the owner, a Mr. Cock, at first unwilling to part with him, I purchased him for \$75, a large price then, but he was worth it. It had just done 140 miles in 20 hours, including five hours of saddling at Cradock. I was unfortunate with my horse and lost on one early in the campaign. I had shot an ostrich in just beyond the first chool, and, being alone, had tied "Vank" (Spark), as the men called him, to a tree whilst I gave the coup de grace to the game. This done I walked up to loose him and remount; but as I thoughtlessly placed my hand on the rein, he came out of the blood and, suddenly starting, broke away. I followed him a long while, every moment hoping to catch him, but he was too close and then trotted on, feeding quietly till I came up to him again. At length I grew weary and angry, and twice covered him with the gun that I might at all events save my saddle and bridle; but twice I relented—the creature was too good and too tame to overshoot them. I took up my tinder-box and, trying to strike a light, dropped the flint, and was on my knees feeling for it on the ground with my head down, when a short shot which I at first took for a lion's pant, made me start to my feet, and within 100 yards of where I was standing, though hidden by a belt of thorns, he appeared. I was directed to the wagons. I had come quite straight down upon them through the night. We searched for the horse next morning, but his spur was over-trampled by a large herd of quagga, and for two years I never heard any more of him, when I ascertainment a wandering party of Bechuanas had found him in the veldt and, unable to catch him, had driven him before them for 30 miles to his kraal, and had killed many giraffes and other game from his back, one or two

wind; warning my way I gained the thorns and, lying flat, waited for a side chance.

The rhinoceroses were now within twenty yards of me, but he had on, and in that position they are not to be killed except at very close quarters, for the horns completely guard the brain, which is small and lies very high in the head. Though alone on the present occasion, I was traveling with Maj. Vardon, the best rhinoceros shot. I ever knew of his audacity, and our constant success and impunity alone and together in carrying on the war against these brutes, had perhaps made me despise them too much, had so frequently seen their ugly noses, when within eight or ten yards of the gun, turn, tempted by a twig or bit of grass to the right or left, and the wished-for broadside thus given, that I did not think anything was amiss until I saw that if the nearer of these now in front of me, an old cow, should forge her own length once more ahead, her foot would be on me. She was so near that I might possibly have struck her with a ball by the nostril, and, had she been alone, I should probably have tried it; but the rhinoceros, when he charges, nearly always makes straight for the smoke of the gun, even though the hunter is concealed, and I knew that if No. 1 or No. 2, who was within four or five yards of her, would, in probability, be over me before the smoke cleared. In the hope that my sudden appearance from the ground under her feet would startle her and give me a chance of escape, I sprang up; the old lady was taken aback for a moment and threw up her head with a snort. I dashed alongside of her to get in her rear; my hand was on her as I passed; but the shock to her nerves was not strong enough, for before I had made ten yards she was around and in full chase.

I should have done better to fire into her as I went by, but it had not occurred to me, and it was now too late; in my anxiety to escape, I sprang up as may be, I had neglected my best chance, and paid the penalty. I was a fast runner, the ground was in my favor, and I made 30 yards from the start she was at my heels. A quick turn to the left saved me for the moment, and, perhaps, by giving my pursuer the instead of my back, my life, too. The race was over in the next; as the horned snout came lapping round my thigh I reeled the ground, the long, low, rumbling, rattling, fired both barrels; but with the smoke I was sailing through the air and remember nothing more, for I fell upon my head and was stunned.

learned from the men who were with me, was running so fast when she struck me, and lifted me so high, that she whirled about before I fell, and on her shooting, passed on without stopping. The horns, as is generally the case in this variety, were of nearly equal length, and she agreed most certainly checked the penetration of the other—as it would be more difficult to drive a double-spiked nail than a single one. However, before she, however, providentially turned the foremost horn, or it must have passed close to, even if it had not cut, the femoral artery.

There have been queer stories of a variety of gigantic wild rhinoceroses as large as elephants, a few of which remained when white men first entered the Nyanza country, but there are no authentic stories to set down. A hunter named Armbruster had an unfortunate encounter with a white bull which all who saw it agreed must have been a giant of its kind. His wagon had just reached the last rise to the top of a low hill when a man in advance came galloping back making the finger signs of a bull mahabo. Creeping up to the crest of a hill, Armbruster saw in a glade below one of the finest specimens he had ever beheld, and immediately set out to stalk him on foot.

The rhinoceros was feeding quietly and the wind was favorable for a disapproach. However, before he had got near enough, having to make his way through thorns, he lost sight of the quarry, which had entered the brush, and Armbruster, in his haste, made the mistake of judging the location of the creature by a movement in the brush. A young cow rhinoceros, however, came out of the brush. When within 30 yards of the movement, Armbruster started around a clump of mimosa directly into the path of the white man, who was on. It is likely that the old fellow would have wheeled and departed on being startled, but, firing from the hip, Armbruster sent his first barbed bullet into the neck and, with a great snort, the wounded animal charged. The unfortunate sportsman started to beat behind the mimosa, but tripped and fell headlong, and the huge engine of ferocity was upon him before he could rise or roll to one side. The long barrel of the gun was applied through his body that it was borne along some little distance until the bull tossed it off, and then he plunged away through the brush and was gone.



The Brush Was Too Thick for the Man.

arm broken. Eight or ten cuts on the body counted as minor incidents. The blood poured from Christie's wounds in streams. He swathed himself in a sack and hasty manner, lay home without his snowshoes, following the ice on the river, as he could not see. There were eight inches of snow on the ground. The journey was seven miles and with every foot of the journey marked by the blood of the man, Christie showed courage. All the way he had to use one hand to hold up his jaw. He hoped on arrival at the cabin to find his partner, George Crisfield, at home, but Crisfield was not out on a line of traps and did not return for hours, and the desperately wounded man had to build a fire and attend to his own injuries as best he could. On Crisfield's return every crude means was taken to make Christie comfortable, but they had neither medicine nor antiseptics.

After giving the victim such rest as could be afforded Crisfield packed him in a rough toboggan and hired two Indians to haul the patient to J. B. Perilla's trading post. Christie and Crisfield were at this place for three or four miles from Dawson. They took a tent and camped at night. It was a racking trip for the injured man.



The Rattler Was Beside Itself With Rage.

and about 20 years old. It had the ugliest head I ever saw, enormous in size and with a mouth that reminded me of a bulldog's jaw. Dick stopped just long enough to size up its length so as to get an idea of its spring, and then went in on it.

"The strike came like a flash of lightning. The snake struck the ground with a sound like the cracking of a four-horse whip in the bend of its neck. Dick just saved himself by throwing his body full length backward. The snake coiled again before he could get to it. I got nervous and called to him to stop.

"That's the first one ever struck at me and got back," said he, "I'm going to have that beauty head."

"He reached for me," said he, "I lay, coil upon coil of smooth, glistening length, showing the long reach and powerful spring in reserve. Out of the coils came the head and body rose straight in the air, and above all that flat, black, venomous head, with glowing eyes and forked tongue, waving slightly, warily, to and fro."

"Dick stepped in again, more cautiously. He advanced the knife nearer and yet nearer to that swaying head. I knew he was getting too close, but I did not dare speak to him for fear of rattling him at the crucial instant. Dick's knife flashed, and next moment my squinting, a headless thing, upon the ground.

"But Dick was pale. 'It got me in the thumb,' said he; 'let's get to camp.'"

"We jumped for the saddle and started on a mad run. Dick rode with his thumb pressed hard against the saddle horn, and his knife in the other hand. 'If she begins to swell, off she comes,' said he. 'Old cow, the ranch, and while Dick poured down whisky we examined the thumb. Neither then or at any later time did it show the slightest mark. The snake had struck the handle of his knife and the strength and suddenness of the impact made Dick kill his nerve. It was a good thing for him. He never went after a rattler again without a long '44.'"

To Study European Conditions. Miss Juliet Pointe, who has just won the \$15,000 scholarship established by the General Federation of Women's clubs and providing for two years study in England, will sail in June for Europe. She will spend the summer on the Continent, going to England in time to enter the University of London.

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